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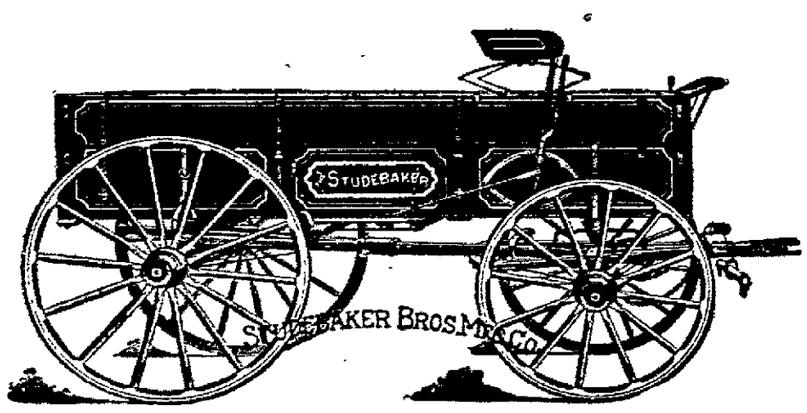


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## SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

### Only Seven Horses Entered for the Great Event.

### GOSSIP ANENT THE STARTERS.

**Consensus of Opinion Among Turfmen Is That the Race Will be Between Sir Walter, Domino and Lazzarone — The Purse Smaller Than Ever Before.**

NEW YORK, June 15.—This will be "getaway" day of the Coney Island Jockey club's spring meeting, and the attraction on the program will be the historic Suburban, the greatest equine contest of the racing year. The Suburban of this year is of less value than ever before. This was made necessary by the uncertainty that surrounded racing when the stake was offered. However, the horse owner does not value the Suburban for its money worth. It is the glory and honor of winning this great handicap that is coveted. In the Suburban there generally comes together the flower of the land, so far as racing stock goes. Much of that interest is wanting this year. The knowledge that probably the weakest and smallest field in the history of the race will face the starter may keep the attendance from reaching the average.

Following are the entries: Sir Walter, Domino, Rubicon, Lazzarone, Sister Mary, Declare and Song and Dance.

The withdrawal of Ramapo has been a great factor in the decrease of interest in the race. Gideon and Daly express disappointment at their inability to send their horse to the post because of a split hoof, got in his last trial, as they thought he would win in spite of his big penalty. Of the seven remaining entries three are confessedly out for second or third money.

Song and Dance is the lightweight of the party, having to take up but ninety-nine pounds, although with Griffin in his saddle he will have to carry several pounds over weight. This colt will carry the Belmont colors, but few think he has any chance on his last two races. He ran and won on Monday last, but there was a poor lot against him, and on Thursday he was beatch by Our Jack in a hard race. It was thought that he would have a much better chance if he had not had to run so hard Thursday, but now few will care to throw their money away by betting on him to be even third.

Declare, too, was only decided upon as a starter after Ramapo had been scratched, Mr. Dwyer thinking that he had a good chance to be third at least, and if the track should happen to be wet there was no telling where he might land. Rubicon has not shown his ability to go a distance thus far, and McDonald hopes for one of the places after the winner. Sister Mary, a most erratic performer, has not shown that she belongs in the class with the others. Third money, however, is worth winning in these days of small purses.

This leaves Sir Walter, Domino and Lazzarone as the most likely contenders. Sir Walter is the top weight, but he has time and time again shown his ability to carry weight and win in fast company over a distance of ground. He was third in the Brooklyn handicap and should have been further up in the race, if trials are of any account. It was his first race of the year, however, and he needs considerable work to make him fit to run. He has been raced now and is fully fit to run for his life. This means a good deal with a horse of the quality of Sir Walter, and with Doggett up he will be ridden by the boy who has been on his back in all of his races, a good point in his favor. He is one of the gamest horses that ever looked through a bridle and can be depended on to exert every ounce of strength before he gives it up.

Lazzarone was the second horse in the Brooklyn handicap, and takes up 115 pounds. This is two more pounds than he carried then, and it should not make any difference to him. He was, however, a disappointment to his owner after that race, for he ran twice and was nowhere.

Domino is the other odds-on favorite. He has to take up 125 pounds, with Taral on his back. According to his work he looks like a sure winner, and few of the trainers at the track are willing to concede his defeat. The few who have pinned their faith to Sir Walter or Lazzarone declare that Domino is nothing but a sprinter and never will be.

Domino has raced but three times in his life at over a mile, and did not cover himself with glory either time. Once at Chicago he tried a mile and a half, but was last. That race, however, was not a test of his ability, for the horses were an hour and a half at the post. Then he ran against Henry of Navarre at a mile and an eighth a dead heat, although Navarre should have won, for he was badly ridden. The other time was at a mile and an eighth, when he was badly beaten by Henry of Navarre and Clifford, and he was the favorite each of the three times.

**Cuban Insurgent Leaders Surrender.**

HAVANA, June 15.—A dispatch from Manzanilla says that eight insurgents, including the leaders Ricardo, Vilalta and Pedro Gabrer, and three Havana students, surrendered to the authorities at that place yesterday.

**Tramps Hold Up a Train.**

ELKHARDT, Ind., June 15.—Tramps held up a Lake Shore freight train between here and South Bend Thursday night. A crowd of young men from here were on board, and the tramps relieved them of their money and valuables. They then shot at the youths in the car and compelled them to jump from the rapidly moving train. During the melee one of the tramps was thrown from the train into a cattle guard and killed.

## CARLISLE AT LOUISVILLE.

**The Government's Financier Renews His Onslaught on Free Silver.**

LOUISVILLE, June 15.—The large personal following of Secretary Carlisle in this city, and the keen interest felt by all classes in the currency question, filled Music Hall last evening with such a crowd as Louisville never before saw congregated on a similar occasion. For some time it had been recognized that this occasion would be something out of the ordinary, and nearly all the Democratic candidates were present.

Promptly at 8 o'clock Mr. Carlisle came, and was presented by Charles R. Long. His reception should have satisfied the most expectant. When the tremendous applause subsided Mr. Carlisle waded immediately into his subject.

Mr. Carlisle repeated his argument that the under valued metal would be driven out of the country by the adoption of a bimetallic system, and at some length paid attention to the claims that the fall in price of silver was due to its demonetization. He said:

"It is insisted, it is claimed, that the fall in silver is attributable to the legislation in Germany, the United States, France and various other countries during and since the year 1873, and most illogically it is insisted that notwithstanding the reduced price of that metal, the result of the unfriendly action of a great many governments acting in concert, and with a settled purpose, the United States alone can restore the value of silver. Of course, if it requires the action of twelve or thirteen different governments to bring the price of silver to its present state, it would seem quite clear that no one of them alone could restore it.

"The fall in the price of silver was not due to the legislation complained of, but to an enormous over production. Notwithstanding the fall in silver, silver mining continues to be a most profitable industry. While the farmers and other producers are struggling to live comfortably and meet their obligations owners of silver mines have accumulated enormous fortunes."

## THE KEELEY GOLD CURE.

**Some of the Secrets Revealed by One Who Understands It.**

PITTSBURG, June 15.—In the taking of testimony to secure the pardon of Daniel Werling, the wife murderer, on the ground that he was insane when he committed the crime, from the fact that he had taken the Keeley cure, Dr. D. E. Wiles, who for two years was in charge of the Pittsburg Keeley institute, for the first time gave out this much of the formula of the celebrated gold cure:

He said the treatment consisted, first, of internal treatment of simple tonics, of which cinchona was the principal ingredient. The second part of the treatment consisted of the hypodermic injection of what is known as the red mixture. This, he said, was composed of a portion of theine, eight to ten drops of hyoscamine and a solution of pilocarpine (one grain to the drachm), with morphia to suit the condition of the patient. The doctor said the pilocarpine was a strong relaxant, and that the other drugs caused a rush of blood that was particularly dangerous to men who suffered from fatty degeneration of the heart. He said he believed Werling was insane when he was discharged from the hospital.

Governor Hastings has already granted two reprieves to Werling on the ground of insanity, caused by the treatment of the Keeley cure.

**Three More Colima Survivors.**

MANZANILLO, Mexico, June 13.—A letter received by the agents of the Pacific Mail here states that two women and one man, shipwrecked passengers of the Colima, landed at Narangastille, fifty miles southeast of Manzanillo, on May 29, and have been cared for by the Indians. They are now on their way to Manzanillo on mules. The party are all Americans. The story is corroborated by the customs collector here.

**Three Bathers Drowned.**

HALIFAX, June 15.—Word was received yesterday that three men were drowned at Orwell, P. I., last night. They were Edmund and John Hughes and James Daley. One of the Hughes brothers went in swimming while the others remained on the shore. When beyond his depth Hughes was seized with cramps. The others went into the water to rescue him and all three lost their lives.

**Declined to Form a Cabinet.**

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, June 15.—M. Sverdroup, the leader of the Norwegian moderates, who was asked by King Oscar to form a new cabinet, has declined the proposition.

## NUGGETS OF NEWS.

The Ohio supreme court decided in favor of the state in an attempt by a railroad to secure certain property in Cincinnati.

The Canadian steamer Petrel seized a Buffalo Dredging company's tug, charged with dumping mud in Canadian waters.

A fire panic was averted at Holly, Mich., by the coolness of actors in Lewis' "Si Plunkard" company. The fire was trivial.

Rev. A. A. Miner, D. D., a noted temperance and woman suffrage advocate of Boston, died suddenly at his home in that city.

Charles Henry, 72 years old, was found murdered in his home in Brooklyn, and his missing son William is suspected of the murder.

Pierpont Morgan's prize collie dog Roslyn Wilkes, valued at $10,000, deliberately committed suicide by drowning at West Point, N. Y.

At Afton, Ark., George Taylor and William Johnson attacked and beat Postmaster J. H. Gentry. Gentry killed Taylor and shot Johnson three times.

Dr. Todd, of Abbeville, S. C., a brother-in-law of President Abraham Lincoln, now 79 years of age, has gone blind. He served through the war as a Confederate.

Stanton Abbott, the English lightweight, and Jack Burke, champion lightweight of the southern states, fought fifteen hot rounds to a draw at Montreal last night.

## CORNELL THE VICTOR.

### Pennsylvania Freshmen Defeated by the Ithaca Boys.

### FINISHED NINE LENGTHS AHEAD.

**The Winning Oarsmen Not Compelled to Exert Themselves to a Great Extent. Took a Further Spin Down the Lake After Their Victory.**

ITHACA, N. Y., June 15.—The first annual race between the freshmen eights of Cornell university and the University of Pennsylvania was rowed last evening at Cayuga lake over the two mile course on the western side of the lake, and Cornell won by nine lengths in 11 min., 18 2-5 sec.

At 6:17:10 the signal was given and the crews started, Pennsylvania taking the water first. Cornell, after a half dozen strokes, shot a length ahead. Both crews did considerable splashing. Cornell rowed forty-four strokes and Pennsylvania thirty-eight. At the first half mile Pennsylvania lost her stroke, but caught it again. Cornell was then a length ahead, with Pennsylvania rowing thirty-nine strokes. The Pennsylvanians did a great deal more splashing than Cornell. Cornell's machinery like motion soon commenced to tell.

The rowing of Pennsylvania was very ragged during the second half mile, the men being all doubled up. Cornell passed the mile point a full two lengths ahead. Pennsylvania now commenced to row steadier, but Cornell held the stroke at forty-two to Pennsylvania's thirty-six. Pennsylvania finally stopped her splashing, while Cornell did some splashing, keeping her stroke up, however. At the mile and a half point Cornell had increased her advantage to five lengths ahead, while her stroke had been increased to forty-six. At the close Pennsylvania spurted a little after Cornell, and made a slight gain.

Cornell finished in magnificent style, each man working with accuracy and with a stroke of forty-six, full nine lengths or more ahead of the Quakers. Pennsylvania crossed the line exactly thirty-two seconds later, and as soon as she reached the other side No. 2 in the Pennsylvania boat caught a crab, and his oar was out of the race for a dozen strokes, thereby losing three additional lengths. He was apparently suffering from exhaustion.

After passing between the flags Cornell stopped for a moment, but, picking her stroke again, took a further spin down the lake as though the race had not given them enough daily practice.

**Wisconsin Collegians Win.**

MADISON, Wis., June 15.—The University of Wisconsin eight won a brilliant victory over the Delaware crew of Chicago on Lake Monona last evening. The course was two miles straight away. The Delawares led for the first mile, but the Wisconsin collegians then passed them and came in more than a length ahead. The winners used the Australian stroke, while the Delawares employed the quick American movement. The time was 12.26.

**Forger Moore's Confession.**

NEW YORK, June 15.—Albert S. Moore, whose forgeries startled some of the best banks in this city, has made confession of his wrongdoing. "I first forged three years ago," he told a reporter. "I had been speculating in the market and was long on cotton. Late one evening my broker came to be and told me that I would have to put up more margin at once. My failure to keep the contract I had with him would have necessitated his failure. In an unfortunate moment I decided that I could raise the money on bad paper. From that time on things went bad with me. I had to keep on selling bad paper to raise money to keep myself up. The report that the aggregate is over $100,000 is not correct. I am positive that there was not over $75,000.

**The Manitoba School Controversy.**

WINNIPEG, June 15.—Archbishop Langevin, when asked for his opinion on Manitoba's reply to the remedial order, said: "I am sorry for the local government's bad will. It is rather strange that after five years of public discussion their memorial should blandly charge the Ottawa government with ignorance, and claim for themselves the monopoly of knowledge. I trust that the government and parliament of Canada will sustain the judgment of the privy council of England, and stand by the constitution of the country." A caucus of the opposition members will be held before Monday, when a plan of action will be decided upon in reference to the debate on the motion pertaining to the schools.

**A Noted Stallion Dead.**

LACON, Ills., June 14.—Knowles' Light of the West, an imported shire stallion, valued at $10,000, died yesterday. The horse took first premium at the World's Columbian exposition. It was one of the best know stallions in America, having been exhibited in every horse show since 1890. Breeders considered Light of the West the best draft stallion in America.

**Fatal Storms in Austria-Hungary.**

VIENNA, June 15.—Thunder storms and lightning continue with fatal results in different parts of Austria-Hungary. Two peasants were killed on Thursday near Funfkirchen, and two girls were killed, ten persons injured and 135 cattle destroyed between Bekes and Csaba, in Hungary.

**The Decrease in Immigration.**

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A report from the bureau of statistics shows that the number of immigrants who arrived during May was 49,144, an increase over May, 1894, of about 16,000. During the eleven months ending with May there was a falling off of about 45,500.

**Hazing Students Suspended.**

ALBION, Mich., June 15.—Six students of Albion college have been suspended for participation in the ducking of two students who persisted in "roasting" the athletic teams of the college.

## SPEEDY TENNESSEE JUSTICE.

**A Double Murder Quickly Followed by the Death of the Murderer.**

NATCHEZ, Miss., June 15.—As the result of the infatuation of R. W. Dawson, a white man, for Virgie Brooks, a coal black negro wench, three persons are dead and a negro boy is at the hospital, mortally wounded.

Dawson was a shanty boat fisherman, well and unfavorably known in this vicinity on account of his connection with the woman and his general hard character. The woman had been living with him, but left him some time since and took up quarters on the Natchez Island plantation, owned by James Conley, and managed by his son-in-law, Frank Macklin. Dawson followed the woman and made himself so obnoxious that on Thursday he was ordered off the plantation and forbidden to return. He came to Natchez, secured a Winchester rifle and yesterday reappeared at the home of his negro paramour on the island. Macklin learned of his presence, went to the woman's house and again ordered Dawson from the premises.

Dawson started away as though to obey, but on reaching the gate turned suddenly and fired at Macklin with the Winchester, the ball passing through the latter's thigh. Macklin, who was unarmed, turned to run behind the house, but Dawson fired again just as his back was turned, the ball entering Macklin's left shoulder and passing through the heart. Dawson then reentered the house and shot the woman through the breast, killing her instantly. The same bullet passed through the body of the boy, Robert Carter, probably fatally injuring him. Dawson then made towards Louisiana.

A posse from Vidalia, headed by Magistrate Brady, soon overtook the murderer and filled him with bullets. Magistrate Brady empanelled a jury, held an inquest on the spot, rendered a verdict exonerating those engaged in the killing of Dawson, and the body was then buried where it fell and as it lay.

**Fourteen Killed in a Death Chamber.**

VIENNA, June 15.—Seventy people gathered yesterday in the death chamber of a young man at Rovigno, a seaport town of Austria, on the west coast of Istria, in the vicinity of the Adriatic sea. The flooring of the chamber collapsed, and all fell to the ground floor and thence into a deep cellar, the walls of the house falling on top of the unfortunate victims. All the inhabitants of the town hurried to the spot, the fire brigade was called out and the soldiers in the town also rushed to the scene. All united in efforts to remove the debris. This being done revealed the fact that fourteen of the mourners had been killed and thirty injured. The unhappy young woman who had been the fiancee of the deceased man was found dead in the ruins close to the coffin.

**New Jersey Officials Indicted.**

TRENTON, June 15.—The Mercer county grand jury presented Justice Gummere with a batch of indictments, which included sixteen in connection with the state house frauds. Prosecutor Stockton refused to give the names of those indicted. The charges will be presented next Tuesday. Prosecutor Stockton admitted that Secretary of State Kelsey was not indicted. John Collins was indicted for murder in the first degree for the shooting of Frederick Ohl, the Princeton student. The grand jury made a long presentment on the state house frauds.

**Marti's Probable Successor.**

TAMPA, Fla., June 15.—Colonel Figuerdo, responding to an inquiry about Jose Marti, said: "I have been seriously considering the unfortunate news for the past two weeks. The persistency of the Spanish alarmed me at first, and now, in the absence of news from him, I feel convinced that Marti has died for the cause he loved so well. The revolution, however, will go on just the same. While we may have lost a good man, the cause still exists, and the fight will be pushed vigorously. Tomas Estrado Palma, of New York, will undoubtedly be chosen to fill Marti's place, and will do it ably."

**An Infernal Machine in the Mail.**

INDIANAPOLIS, June 15.—An attempt was made to murder the postmaster at Fisher's Switch, north of this city, by sending him a dynamite infernal machine through the mails. The machine contained enough dynamite to have blown up a steamboat, but fortunately the postmaster failed to observe the caution on the box to open at a given end, and opening it at the other end the fuse was not ignited. The postoffice authorities think they know the person who mailed the machine. It was sent from Cincinnati.

**Eight Prisoners Escape.**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., June 15.—Eight prisoners, one of them George Stefanke, an alleged murderer, escaped from the Midland county jail at 2 o'clock in the morning. The men charged with incendiarism, Frank Williams, Joseph Kelly and Louis Fisher, procured knives, with which they cut their way through the roof, liberating themselves, Stefanke, John Clark, Thomas Kinsey, John Murphy and John Costello. With bed sheets made into ropes they lowered themselves to the ground and escaped.

**A Statue to Oliver Cromwell.**

LONDON, June 15.—The proposal of the government to erect a statue to Oliver Cromwell was adopted in the house of commons by a vote of 153 to 137. The Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Conservative leader in the house of commons, the other leaders of the opposition, the bulk of the Conservatives and all the Irish Nationalists voted against the adoption of the proposition, and the passage of the motion was only secured by the support of the Orangemen.

**Trolley Accident at Cumberland, Md.**

CUMBERLAND, Md., June 4.—A motor car last evening jumped the track in the Narrows. Lewis Isaacs was probably fatally injured, a son of Chief Judge A. Hunter Boyd had a leg broken and hip dislocated, Motorman Green, Miss Juty and several others were painfully hurt.

## THE BOILER EXPLODED

### And a Harness Shop at Fall River Is Demolished.

### FOUR KILLED, FIVE OTHERS HURT.

**Two of the Dead are Women—Of the Injured It is Feared That Two Will Die. The Engineer Escapes Injury and Is Arrested.**

FALL RIVER, June 15.—A terrible explosion, involving the loss of four lives, occurred at the Langley harness shop, a three story wooden building on County street. A boiler exploded in the basement of the building, blowing out the entire end of the building and causing it to collapse. Twenty persons were in the building when the explosion occurred, most of them being women.

The shock broke in the windows of the Stafford mill and injured several of the operatives there. The whole eastern section of the city was shaken. A team in front of the door was blown across the street. The list of dead is as follows: Adele Dube, aged 20 years; Lelia Horton, 17; Adolph E. Bellefeuille, 45; Robert Murray, 21.

The seriously injured are: Thomas Barry, skull fractured and face and body badly burned, will die; Mattie Duroches, bruises and burns, fatally injured; William Russell, badly burned; Alice Tremblay, bruised and burned; Ida Le Page, 10 Unity street, badly bruised.

Soon after the explosion and collapse the ruins took fire. The fire department hastened to the scene, and made every effort to rescue the imprisoned working people. Ambulance calls were sent out and every physician who could be reached was sent at once to the scene. The firemen worked heroically until all the dead bodies were recovered.

The engineer, LePage, who was in charge of the boiler, was at first reported killed, but later turned up unhurt and was placed under arrest by order of Medical Examiner Dolen. He says the boiler was only five years old, but it had not been inspected for a considerable time. He claims to have been near at hand when it exploded, and cannot explain why it did so. He says he put water in the boiler some time before the catastrophe. Mr. Langley, the proprietor, says the boiler has been inspected every year.

**Stabbing Affray Among Italians.**

HONEOYE FALLS, N. Y., June 15.—A stabbing affray occurred at a shanty occupied by forty Italian laborers, in which one man was fatally wounded and another badly cut. Two brothers, Domoni Flor and Zell Flor, who had long held a grudge against two other men, did the cutting. Pentona Iacorno, was stabbed three times in the head, chest near the right lung and abdomen. He will probably die. Barrono Bruanon was also cut about the head and on the hands, but the wounds are not considered serious. Neither of the Flor brothers was badly injured. They are under arrest.

**Effect of the Colombian Revolution.**

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The state department has received information of the serious devastation the revolution in Colombia is causing. It also shows the very straightened circumstances in which the government finds itself, owing to the war. The government is out of funds, and is making tax levies which are very hard to bear, placing an onerous export and excise tax on coffee, which is the principal crop of the country. The revolution also has drained the country of men, and has resulted in the destruction of crops and of animals used in transportation.

**Pennsylvania League Will Continue.**

HAZLETON, Pa., June 15.—A stormy meeting of the directors of the State League of Baseball clubs was held here last night. Manager Witman, of the Reading team, was the disturbing element. Efforts were made to disband the league, but outside influence had weight, and it will hold together. The following six clubs will continue to play: Lancaster, Pottsville, Reading, Carbondale, Allentown and Hazleton. A new schedule has been prepared.

**No Cuban Insurgents at Norfolk.**

NORFOLK, Va., June 15.—The report that a body of men recruited by Quesada in this country would leave Norfolk to join the Cuban insurgents is without foundation. A sharp lookout has been kept and Collector Shields wired the navy department today that the report was false.

**Ohio Miners on Strike.**

BELLAIRE, O., June 15.—The first strike that has occurred since the settlement of the big coal miners' strike has taken place at Dillonville, on the Wheeling and Lake Erie Railroad, north of here. Those participating in the riots at Gaylord mines two weeks ago were refused work, and the other miners went out, and the mines are reclosed. Six hundred men are idle.

**Arrested for a Murder in Canada.**

OCALA, Fla., June 15.—Thomas Gray is under arrest here on the charge of murder and arson committed at Coburg, Ont., three years ago. A warrant is out for his wife, as accessory, but she was not arrested because she has six small children. Gray has been farming near here for three years. He is sick.

**The Lone Highwayman in Oregon.**

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 15.—The Coos Bay stage was held up by a lone highwayman on Hoover Hill, fourteen miles from here, and one mail pouch cut open, two registered packages being taken. The driver was relieved of $30 in cash, but the two passengers were not touched.

**Murder in the First Degree.**

JERSEY CITY, June 15.—The jury in the case of Patrick Sheehan, who was tried for the killing of Diedrich G[illegible] Bayonne, on April 7, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree. The jury was out all night.


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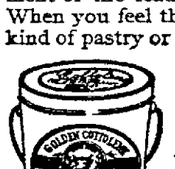


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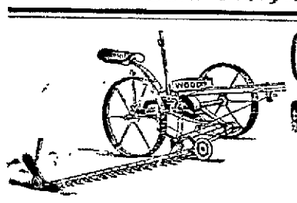


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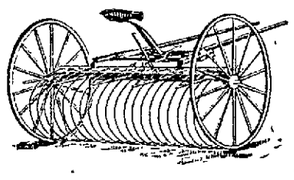

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## FINANCE AND TRADE.

**The Most Favorable Reports Presented in Many Months.**

NEW YORK, June 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: It is no longer a question whether business improves. Not for a long time have our reports from all parts of the country been so favorable. The most potent influence has been the receipt of more favorable advices regarding growing crops. Labor troubles are getting out of the way, wages in many establishments are rising and, with the iron industry just now leading, there is general improvement in manufactures. Monetary conditions also help.

Cotton mills are doing well for the season, and numerous advances of an eighth to a quarter in brown sheetings, drills, bleached muslins, denims and ticks are still reported. The wool manufacture looks for speedy settlement of labor troubles, and finds a moderate demand for low and medium heavy weight goods, while some of the cheaper lines of spring goods have been opened with encouraging results, but as to better grades there is still great uncertainty about prices.

The failures during the past week have been 241 in the United States, against 232 for the same week last year, and 24 in Canada, against 49 last year.

Bradstreets' review says: "The recent check to the activity in general trade, taking the country as a whole, which followed the severe and unusual frosts of the close of May has begun to register itself in relatively fewer upward spurts of prices for staples and moderately smaller totals of bank clearings. The cereal crop scarces which followed the frosts frightened foreigners out of Wall street for the moment, and since then the speculative exchanges and leading commercial houses have been busy trying to determine future values on the basis of present conditions. The exception to the halt is found in the remarkable exhibition of strength by iron and steel.

## YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

**National League.**

At Philadelphia—First game: Philadelphia, 17; Louisville, 6 Second game: Philadelphia, 14; Louisville, 6 At Baltimore—Baltimore. 11; Pittsburg, 0. At Washington—Cincinnati, 6; Washington, 3. At New York—Cleveland, 1; New York, 0. At Boston—Chicago, 7; Boston, 4. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 12; St. Louis, 7.

**Eastern League.**

At Providence—Wilkesbarre, 5; Providence, 2. At Springfield—Springfield, 7; Scranton, 2. At Buffalo—Rochester, 5; Buffalo, 3. At Toronto—Toronto, 16; Syracuse, 10.

**Pennsylvania State League.**

At Pottsville—Pottsville, 8; Hazleton, 7.

**Taylor's Sentence Already Fixed.**

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., June 15.—An agreement has been reached between the friends of Absconding Treasurer Taylor and Attorney General Crawford, whereby Taylor will return to Pierre on Tuesday next and surrender. He will pay over all the money he had on hand, amounting to $45,000, and also personal property which is to be assessed at a liberal valuation. Taylor will then plead guilty, and Judge Gaffy has agreed to call a special term of court and sentence him to the penitentiary for two years. It is further agreed that before the expiration of this sentence the governor will pardon him out and thus save his citizenship.

**Slim Attendance at the Cabinet.**

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Secretaries Carlisle and Herbert and Postmaster Wilson did not attend yesterday's cabinet meeting, each of them being out of the city. All the other cabinet officers were present. The session was unusually protracted, and it is understood was chiefly devoted to closing up routine details prior to the summer recess. An impression prevails that this will be the last cabinet meeting before the president departs for Gray Gables.

**Bridgeton Brigands Busy.**

BRIDGETON, N. J., June 15.—Thomas Baker and Frank Brown, both colored, held up Rev. H. Lisse and his brother-in-law, Carl Horning, on a country road near here. They stopped the horse Mr. Lisse was driving, and pointing pistols at the heads of the two gentlemen ordered them to throw up their hands and give up their money and valuables. Another wagon came in sight just at this time and the negroes fled. Both have been captured.

**Enlarging the Atlanta Exposition.**

ATLANTA, June 15.—The management of the Cotton States and International exposition announces that it has been found necessary to build an annex of 35,000 square feet to the Transportation building in order to accommodate the exhibits of locomotives and trains.

**Fell from a Furnace to Death.**

NORRISTOWN, Pa., June 15.—Harry McCool, 25 years old, fell from the top of Swede's furnace, a distance of eighty feet, and was instantly killed, every bone in his body being broken.

**A Kentucky Feud Breaks Out Again.**

BARBOURSVILLE, Ky., June 15.—The French-Eversole war has again broken out in Perry county, at Hazard, and excitement is now at fever heat. John Sexton, one the Eversole side, and a son-in-law of the late Judge J. H. Combs, was assassinated at his home in the suburbs of Hazard by his enemies, the French faction.

**Russia Will Not Interfere in Armenia.**

LONDON, June 15.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times telegraphs to that paper that it is almost certain that Russia will take no action to compel reforms by Turkey in Armenia.


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## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

**Notes of the Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.**

—Bethel A. M. E. Church—The pastor, Rev. J. H. Nichols, has returned from conference and will conduct services as usual to-morrow. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 3 p. m.

—Y. M. C. A.—Meeting for men at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms, to-morrow at 3:30 p. m. All men cordially invited.

—A. M. E. Zion Church—Rev. P. M. Jackson, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are invited. Children's service and baptisms in the evening.

—North street Congregational Church, Rev. J. W. Norris, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Apostles' Creed." Sunday school at 12 m.; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30; evening service at 7:30, subject, "A Train on Time." Seats free; strangers welcome.

—First Baptist Church, Rev. F. A. Heath, pastor. Morning subject: 'Moral Stamina;" evening subject: "Our Baccalaureate. Character Outranks Everything." Other services as usual. Our seats are all free. Everybody welcome

—The First Congregational Church, Rev. Wm. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor. Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30 p. m.; evening service 7:30 p. m. Subject of sermon "Good Fun." Cordial welcome to all.

—Deutsche Evangelische Lutherische St Johannes Gemeinde, Rev. Dr. Henry Katz, pastor Service at 10:30 a. m., in the Assembly Rooms; Sunday School at 2 p. m.

—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thomas Gordon, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Strangers cordially invited.

—Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles Beattie, D. D. pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

—Grace (Episcopal) Church, Rev. D. J. Evans, B. A., rector. Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

—Faith Mission, 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Conkling, pastor. You will be made welcome to any or all of the services at the mission, to-morrow. Sunday School at 2 o'clock. Preaching at 3 p. m. Gospel meeting in the evening.

Old School Baptist Church—Preaching at 3 p. m., by the pastor, Elder Benton Jenkins.

—Free Christian Church, Rev. C. M. Winchester, pastor. Sunday School at 11 a. m. Preaching in the evening by the pastor.

—St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Frank L. Wilson, D. D., pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:30 p. m. Strangers most cordially welcome.

**The National Bimetallic League.**

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 15.—The movement inaugurated by prominent Democrats for the formation of a silver organization within the lines of the Democratic party is believed to be a step of the greatest importance in the campaign on the currency question. There were present at the meeting the Democratic senators and others who were here attending the silver convention. Senators Harris, Jones and Turpie were named as a committee to select members of a national executive committee, consisting of one man from each state. Senator Harris emphasizes the fact that the National Bimetallic league is to be a Democratic organization.

**Tax Gatherers Enjoined.**

INDIANAPOLIS, June 15.—The state supreme court granted an injunction in the suit of the Western Union Telegraph company vs the auditor of Marion county, and the auditors of all the other counties in the state through which the lines extend, restraining them from collecting taxes from the company under the act of 1893, and pending a decision of the case by the supreme court of the United States.

**Serious Charges Against Railroad Officials.**

BOSTON, June 15.—Before the railroad commission Director Charles A. Sinclair, of the Worcester, Nashua and Rochester railroad, created a sensation by stating that the road has issued $71,500 in bonds since June 30 of last year without the approval of the railroad commissioners, and that his predecessors in office had indulged in systematic stealings, amounting to 3 per cent. a year on the stock of the company. "I do not think you are in any position, Mr. Sinclair, to charge others with stealing," Chairman Sanford said, "and I think you had better withdraw that statement." Mr. Sinclair withdrew his charge under advice from President Stoddard.

**Colima's Officers Declared Incompetent.**

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—George D. Ross, formerly a seaman in the United States navy, was the principal witness at yesterday's Colima investigation. He thought Captain Taylor and the other officers incompetent, adding that no effort had been made to save the passengers or even warn them of danger, and no effort been made to set sail air to steady the vessel. He characterized the statement of Third Officer Hansen that the boats were in proper condition for lowering as a tissue of lies.

**Women's Editions.**

In speaking of the fad of women's editions of newspapers, The Kingston Freeman says: "It is remarkable that this kind of enterprise is confined to newspapers. Why not let the Bricklayers' union run a big hotel one day for the benefit of charity? Or the West Shore railroad might be turned over to the Y. M. C. A. for a day. It would be interesting to let the W. C. T. U. take charge of a bank for one day and show how it ought to be run. Then there is an opportunity for some pastor to let a half dozen newspaper men manage his church for a week or so, just to let people see what they would do. Another good idea would be for a watchmaker to turn over his shop to the Horseshoers' association. In fact, there is no limit to these schemes, and this ought to be a big year for charities of all kinds."


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**Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in Three Days.**

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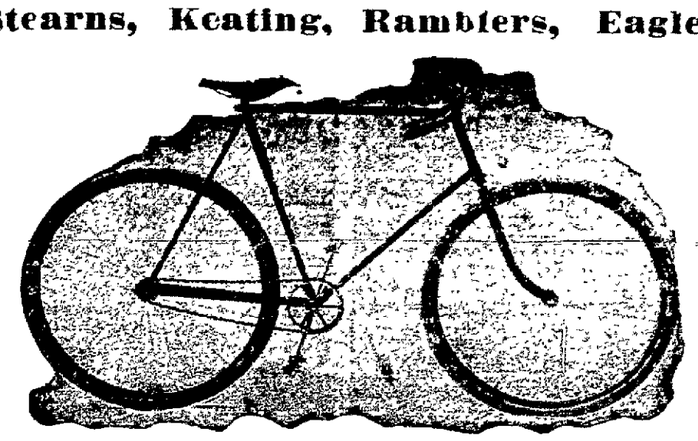

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## OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

### WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

**All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.**

—A black bear was seen crossing the road near Parkeville, a few days ago.

—Liberty's corporation tax, this year, is $3,054, the rate being just a dollar a hundred.

—Mrs. C. L. Morris has bought the interest of the other heirs in the Holley property, Monticello, and will occupy it in a few days.

—J. F. Calbreath, Jr., formerly of Monticello, now of Denver, Col., graduated last week from the law department of the Denver University.

—Mrs. Margaret Carroll, of near Monticello, who cut her throat while insane, last week, died from the effects of her wound Tuesday morning. She was eighty-two years old.

—Three new iron bridges have just been completed near Parksville, one on the road leading to DeBruce, and two on the road to Livingston Manor near D. C Sprague's farm.

—Liberty has raised a fund of several hundred dollars for its celebration of July 4th. The event of the day will be a balloon ascension and a parachute drop by Miss Maud DeHaven.

—Great preparations are being made by Charles O. Hayden, proprietor of The Mecca, Liberty, for the entertainment of the nobles of the Mystic Shrine, who are to visit Liberty on the 22d.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Ruddick, of Glen Spey, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret A. to Mr. John B. Racine, on the evening of Thursday, June 20th, at 8 30 o'clock.

—The county Board of Underwriters at a meeting in Liberty, Tuesday, voted to allow the use of one gasoline stove in a building without extra premium. The county is soon to be re-rated, and it is understood that the rates on farm property are to be raised.

As announced last week ground was broken for the Sullivan County Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument on the noon of Thursday, the 6 h inst, and by Saturday night the foundation was fully completed. The character of the work shows that it is not intended for a superstructure of a light and perishable character, but for one of the most solid and enduring nature. It will be necessary to leave it for the hardening of the cement for from six to eight weeks; meanwhile the work upon the monument proper will be going on in New York. The public may confidently expect to see it unveiled with imposing ceremonies about the middle of August.—*Watchman*

—In April, 1877, Henry L Rumsey, of Bridgeville, bade his wife and children a tearful farewell, telling them he was going west to engage in business. He went to Port Jervis, where he was joined by Miss Julia Elston, an employe in Chant's glove factory, with whom he was infatuated. They went west together and settled in St. Louis. A marriage ceremony must have been performed, for the woman is now suing him for divorce and alimony, charging him with unfaithfulness. She avers in her complaint that he is worth $25,000. Thomas B. Rumsey, of Monticello, a son by the first wife, has gone to St. Louis to try and compel his father to contribute toward the support of his mother, who resides at Rock Hill and is supported by her children.

### IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—Geo. B. Smith, who, since the opening of the Erie and Wyoming Valley Railroad, has most efficiently filled the responsible position of Superintendent, was, on Tuesday, elected to the Presidency of the company—succeeding his father, the late John B. Smith, who held that position until his death last winter. Mr. Smith was also chosen President of the Dunmore Iron and Steel Company.

**Thirty Dollars for Striking His Mother-in-Law.**

Fred Brashaw, of Walden, was arrested Thursday for striking his mother-in law. He had threatened to strike his wife, who is a cripple, when the latter's mother, an aged woman, interfered and he struck her. This being his third offense he was fined $30.


**Worth Knowing.**

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### A GOOD SUGGESTION.

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—John Davies of this city, took a severe cold and suffered pain through the back and kidneys. His physician pronounced his case gravel, and failed to help him. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was recommended, and after taking two bottles he considered himself cured. It has never failed in this or urinary troubles.

### A GUSTATORY ACHIEVEMENT.

**How the Late Anthony Galvin Got Away With Six Dozen Eggs.**

Many years ago, when the late Anthony Galvin was an employe of the Orange County Furnace, he was known to have a great fondness for raw eggs. He didn't eat them as many other people do, but stirred them into a mass and drank them.

One day he was asked by DeWitt Thompson how many eggs he could dispose of.

"As many as you will buy," said Galvin.

Mr. Thompson went to the nearest grocery and returned with six dozen eggs, the understanding being that if Galvin failed to get away with them he was to pay for them.

Galvin was rather taken back at the task before him, but with a look of determination on his face he broke the eggs into a pail, stirred them together with a stick and drank the mess, thus avoiding payment, but his stomach rebelled almost instantly and thereafter he had no longing for raw eggs.

### UP MIDLAND

**Waiting for a Freshet—The Rockland Depot—O. and W. Train Service—Effect of Dry Weather—Island Park Not In It—Wages for Farm Help—The Town of Rockland Appeals.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—There are a few rafts in the river ready for a freshet. Should it not come soon they will have to be rafted over.

—The Rockland depot will be completed in two weeks. The railraad company must have expended clo e on to ten thousand dollars at that station since the season op ned.

—Midway Park will prove a strong drawing card against Sherwood's Island Park at Livingston Manor. So far as the pleasure seeking people of Middletown are concerned they will not come to the Manor for an outing as long as Midway is so close at hand.

—The O. and W. is building a new creamery at Sidney.

—The town board of Rockland has carried up the case of Mullen who at the last court got a judgment of $500 for going down with a bridge. There is no disputing the fact that the bridge went down while he was on it, but it is claimed that he was not hurt in the least and ought not to be paid anything for personal injuries. The town had settled with him for damage to team and property shortly after the bridge fell, and could no doubt have included personal damages at the same price had they done so before the lawyers got hold of him.

—The train service on the O. and W. was never better than now. You can eat your dinner in Oswego and your supper in New York. It is said the summer time table will go into effect before July 1st that with additional trains will give still better accommodations.

—Hay and potatoes will be away below the average, owing to the extremely dry hot weather since June 1st. In some localities the hay crop will be shortened one-half.

—Farmers up this way are engaging help in the hay field and paying from $1.50 to $2 per day. As the Orange county hay crop is usually secured before that of Delaware county has commenced, those who will come up and work a month in haying at good wages will have no trouble in getting all the work they want from July 10th to Aug. 10th, provided they go up about Delhi, Bovina or Andes.

**Left His Coat Behind.**

Officer Phillips, of Port Jervis, came upon a burglar as he was trying to affect an entrance into a store, and grabbed his coat collar as he started to run. The fellow skillfully slipped out of his coat and ran away.


**Beware of Ointment for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.**

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Do. Testimonials free.

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A healthy appetite, with perfect digestion and assimilation, may be secured by the use of Ayers Pills. They cleanse and strengthen the whole alimentary canal and remove all obstructions to the natural functions of either sex, without any unpleasant effects.

### THE BIG SHOW.

**Wait for Sells Bros. Magnificent and Stupendous Shows**

The death of Adam Forepaugh and P. T. Barnum placed Sells Bros. in first magnitude. Sells Bros.' Enormous United Show is now the oldest and largest in every respect. In genuine merit and enterprise they are to be assigned first place, while in features of originality and genuine excellence they lead. This is the twenty-fourth continuous year of their experience in the show business; a longer period than any other can boast of, and in all that time they have proved able, honorable, progressive, successful and popular caterers to the millions of amusement lovers. Their enlarged and varied confederation for 1895 include the Grand Regal Roman Hippodrome Races, Three Ring Circus, Elevated Theatre Stages, Performing Animals of all Descriptions, Tropical Aquarium, Australian Aviary, Fifty Cage Menagerie, Arabian Caravan and the Gala-day Street Parade. Among the many rare and attractive features exclusively presented by them will be found the only pair of living giant Hippopotami; the remarkable Educated Seals and Sea Lions, Rooster Orchestra, Pig Circus, Giant Kangaroos, a whole flock of Ostriches and hundreds of novel features. There are also scores of the most eminent charioteers, male and female jockeys, bare-back riders, and aerial and other performers, and a programme not only stupendous, but most exciting, select and refined in character, all of which will be fully presented in Middletown, on Thursday, June 27th, to be seen at the reduced price of admission, Twenty-Five Cents, to all combined shows, including a comfortable seat. The grand gorgeous street parade absolutely eclipses any pageant ever seen takes place at 10 a. m. on the day of the exhibition; two performances daily, afternoon and evening. Special excursion rates on all railroads.

### KITTENS ROOSTING WITH CHICKENS

**The Strange Society Sought by Two Sullivan County Kittens.**

*From the Callicoon Democrat.*

We've got a story to tell this week so very remarkable that we would not dare to print it were it not for the fact that its details are easily proven. Mr. Paul Stiles is the owner of about twenty hens, last year's chickens. Two kittens were added to his lot of live stock last year and they grew up with the fowls and became so much attached to them that they could not endure the separation of a night and so went to roost with the chickens. This practice they continued all winter and they may still be found with the flock every night. Often during the day they are seen lying with the chickens, and they seldom get more than a few feet away from them.

**Newburgh's Electric Companies Consolidated**

New urgh Electric Light and Power Company, yesterday, purchased the stock of the Edison Electric Illuminating Co., of Newburgh, and the two concerns will be united under one management and the business of supplying Newburgh with electric lights and power made a giant monopoly. It is understood that the business of both companies has been profitable.

**Locusts a Year Behind Time.**

A few locusts, which are a year late, have made their appearance. In a piece of woods on the road leading from the Mechanictown road to Seven-and-a-Half Station, which was fairly swarming with locusts last year, Mr. John H. Crawford tells us there are a goodly number of locusts this year. In other places, especially where the locusts were very numerous, last year, a few of the insects have been seen this year.

### AMITY.

**A Light Hay Crop—A Raising Band Concerts—Other Notes**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Warm and very dry.

—Children's Day exercises, Sunday evening.

—Some farmers in this section commenced haying this week. All report a light crop.

—Mr. N. R. Feagles, who is building a new barn, raised the frame Tuesday.

—The Amity cornet band gives open air concerts every Tuesday evening.

—Miss Shaw, of Boston, is visiting Miss Adelia Christie.

—Several from this place attended the Children's Day exercises at Edenville and Warwick.

—A few from this place attended the oratorio at Goshen, last Friday evening.


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I ever used," writes one lady, in regard to Hood's Pills. "They are so mild and do their work without any griping. I recommend them to all suffering from costiveness. They will certainly bring your habits regular. We use no other cathartic." Hood's Pills are rapidly increasing in favor. 25c.

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For lawns, this is invaluable to drive out weeds and prevent grass drying up.

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Every dollar's worth of goods marked way down. IT WILL PAY YOU to look here before you buy.

Men's Suits $5 up.
Men's All Wool Suits $6.50 up.
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All kinds and prices.
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A. R. NICKINSON, - BUSINESS MANAGER

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1895.


Estimates of the wheat crop of 1895 vary from that of the Department of Agriculture, 400,000,000 bushels, to that of the Minneapolis *Journal*, 511,000,000 bushels.

The *Herald's* financial article of today says: "It is no longer a question whether business improves. Not for a long time have our reports from all parts of the country been so uniformly favorable."

The growing prosperity of the iron business is illustrated by the report of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company for May, which shows net earnings of $72,818 as against a deficit of $37,800 for the corresponding month, last year.

Inquiries among the iron manufacturers of Cleveland develop the fact that every one of them, within the past two weeks, has advanced wages from ten to twenty per cent. All report the condition of the iron business as prosperous and the prospects for the future as very bright.

The General Term of the Supreme Court decided, yesterday, that the provision of the new constitution in removing the $5,000 limit of damages in case of death due to negligence was not retroactive, and ordered a verdict for $18,000 in a New York city case reduced to $5,000 and interest.

The feud between the Belden and Hiscock factions of the Republican party in Onondaga county has been carried into the Board of Supervisors, and seems likely to prevent a reapportionment of the county. The Beldenites are acting with the Democrats to prevent a reapportionment that it is thought will give the Hiscock faction an advantage.

Senator Hill, who was in New York yesterday, consulted with ex-Mayor Grace, ex-Lieut. Gov. Sheehan, Maurice J. Power and other prominent Democrats, with a view to bringing about a union of Democratic factions in the city. In order to accomplish this it will be necessary to reorganize Tammany Hall in such a way as to retire some of the old leaders whose prominence in the party would be an obstacle to any real union of factions. It is well known that Mr. Croker and Mayor Grant are in favor of a thorough reorganization of Tammany Hall on a basis broad enough to take in all Democrats, and Democrats who have been most prominent in anti-Tammany movements are of the opinion that it is time for Democrats to get together. With Democrats of all factions in this frame of mind Democratic union ought to be easy and Democratic harmony ought to quickly restored.

**Grace Church's New Organ.**

Workmen from the Raynor organ factory at Port Jefferson, L. I., are expected here next week to put in place Grace Church's new organ. The organ which was ordered several months ago and which is to cost $3 000 is expected to be a very fine instrument and will be certain to add more than a little to the attractiveness of the musical portion of the church's service.

**Picnicking at Midway.**

The Junior Y. P. S. C. E. Society of the First Presbyterian Church is picnicking at Midway Park, to-day. About twenty-five of the little folks boarded a car this morning, and provided with baskets of provisions were prepared to make a day of it. The party was in charge of their Superintendent, Miss Campbell.

**Get Ready to Pay Your Subscription to Telephone Stock.**

A meeting of the directors of the Orange County Telephone Co. was held last evening, at which business preliminary to the commencement of work of construction was talked over.

It was voted to make a call for 25 per cent. of the stock subscribed before July 1st.

**Dull Times in Police Circles.**

These are very dull days at police headquarters. Not an arrest has been made for more than three weeks, and during that time there have been but two complaints lodged in court, both cases having been settled without a trial.

**Waalkills' Lawn Party.**

Waalkill Engine Co., No. 6, will give a lawn party on the grounds adjoining the engine house, on Wednesday evening next. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.


Don't you know that Hood's Sarsaparilla will overcome that tired feeling and give you renewed vigor and vitality? 4


# LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

## THE CORNELL OARSMEN.

**The Final Selection of the Crew for the International Announced.**

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, June 15.—The final selection of the crew which will row in the Cornell boat in the International race at Henley has been announced as follows: Matthews, Shiman, Hanger, Freeborn, Rennal, Dyer, Louis and Hall. The crew will row over the course twice a day hereafter until the race. The crew has declined Carnegie's invitation to spend Sunday with him at his seat, Buckhurst, fearing it might interfere with practice.

## CREMATED ALIVE.

**A Workman Falls Down the Inside of an Iron Furnace Smoke Stack.**

BY UNITED PRESS.

SWEDELAND, Pa., June 15.—Harry McCook, while at work on a smoke stack, yesterday, fell down the inside of the stack into an iron furnace and was cremated alive.

## FORECLOSING ERIE'S SECOND MORTGAGE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, June 15.—A bill was filed, to-day, for the foreclosure of the second consolidated mortgage of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company.

## COXEY'S DAUGHTER MARRIES CARL BROWN.

BY UNITED PRESS.

MASSILON, Ohio, June 15.—Carl Brown and Miss Mamie Coxey, erstwhile Goddess of Peace of Commonweal, were secretly married last evening, and then they separated.

## A DOG COMMITS SUICIDE.

**J. P. Morgan's Prize Collie, for Which He Paid Several Thousand Dollars, Drowns Herself.**

Even dogs tire of life or shuffle off this mortal coil in "moments of temporary aberration." There are many well authenticated cases of dog suicide, the last coming from Highland Falls, this county, where Mr. J. P. Morgan's famous collie, Roslyn Wilkes, for which he paid several thousand dollars and which has won prizes at all the great dog shows, deliberately drowned herself yesterday.

Roslyn Wilkes did not seem well when Keeper Armstrong, took the dogs out for exercise, yesterday morning, but when the time came for them to take their bath in the pond she jumped in with the rest. When the keeper called them, all left the water but Roslyn, who paid no heed to the keeper's calls and whistles.

It was the first time she ever disobeyed her keeper, and exasperated at her disobedience, he took off his shoes and rolled up his trousers and started into the pond. When the dog saw him coming she dived beneath the surface and never rose again. The pond was dragged and the body recovered.

The keeper declares that it was a clear case of suicide.

## BURLINGHAM

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The ladies of the Epworth League will give a strawberry and ice cream festival on the lawn in Burlingham on Wednesday evening, June 19th. Music by the Burlingham Band.


# Is Your Blood Pure

If it is, you will be strong, vigorous, full of life and ambition; you will have a good appetite and good digestion; your sleep will be sound and refreshing; your nerves will be strong; you will have little need to fear disease in any form.

But how few can say that their blood is pure! How many people are suffering daily from the consequences of impure blood, scrofula, salt rheum, rheumatism, catarrh, nervousness, sleeplessness, headache, and

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Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood. Therefore, it is the medicine for you.

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## CLASS DAY AT WALLKILL ACADEMY

**Programme of Exercises to be Held Wednesday Afternoon.**

The class of '95 of Wallkill Academy will hold class day exercises at the Academy, Wednesday afternoon, June 19 h, at 2 o'clock. The following programme has been arranged:

Latin Salutatory.....Egbert J. Moore
President's Address.....Hugh Lowther
Class Song (composed by Nelly Shafer.....
Class Retrospect.....Gertrude Beakes
Class Statistics.....Clara A Baker
Class Poem.....Anna Louise Hartwell
Reading—Story of Æneas and Dido (origina)
—Sara Grace Grover
Poem—Die Tagen der Rosen.....
—J. Adelaide Smith
Class Prophecy.....Maysie B. Thompson
Valedictory.....Ina L. Mills
Class Song (composed by Nelly Shafer).....

The officers of the club are:
President—Hugh Lowther.
Vice-President—Maysie B. Thompson.
Secretary—Edward P. Uptegrove.
Treasurer—Nelly Shafer.

The other members of the class are: Misses Ina L. Mills, Anna L. Hartwell, Gertrude Beakes, Laura C. Clark, Anna S. Woodward, Sara G. Grover, Lelia M. Mills, Agnes Macardell, J. Addie Smith, Nelly Van Duzer, Nellie Baker, Clara Baker, Egbert J. Moore.

## ACADEMY COMMENCEMENT.

**Programme for Commencement Exercises, Next Week.**

The fifty-third commencement of Wallkill Academy will be held at the Casino, Friday evening, June 21st, at 8 o'clock. The programme is as follows:

Development of English Fiction.....
Agnes Macardell.
America's Debt to Woman.....
Anna Sinclaire Woodward.
Politics as a Profession.....
Edward Pierson Uptegrove.
The Power of the Voice.....
Leila May Mills.
Realism and Idealism in Literature.....
Sara Grace Grover.
Athletics for Women.....
Anna Louise Hartwell.
American Writers of To-day.....
Gertrude Beakes
The Newspaper Habit.....
Laura Cecelia Clark.
The Wane of a Great Century.....
Nelly Shafer.
The New Woman.....
Maysie Bennett Thompson.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, June 15 '95.

| | | Yesterday Close | To-day Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sugar | — | 118 | 117¾ |
| A. T. & S. F. | — | 10¾ | 10 |
| C. B. & Q. | — | 85¾ | 85⅝ |
| Chicago Gas | — | 75¾ | 74¾ |
| D. L. & W. | — | 162¾ | 162½ |
| Dis. & Cat. F. | — | 19¾ | 19⅜ |
| Erie | — | 10¾ | 10¾ |
| General Electric | — | 35¾ | 36 |
| L. & N. | — | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| L. S. | — | 148 | |
| M. P. | — | 29¾ | 29¾ |
| N. Y. & N. E. | — | 43¾ | 44⅝ |
| N. Y. C. | — | 102¼ | 102¾ |
| N. W. | — | 99¾ | 99⅝ |
| Susquehanna & Western | — | 11¾ | 11½ |
| O. & W. | — | 18¾ | |
| Manhattan | — | 114 | 114 |
| Southern R'y | — | 14¼ | 14⅝ |
| P. & R. | — | 18⅝ | 17⅝ |
| R. I. | — | 72¾ | 72⅝ |
| St. P. M. & M. | — | 68¾ | 68¾ |
| U. P. | — | 12¾ | |
| W. Union | — | 93¾ | 93¼ |
| U. S. Cordage | — | | 1¾ |
| Nat. Lead | — | 36 | 36¾ |
| July Wheat | — | 77⅛ | 74¾ |
| July Corn | — | 50¾ | 48¾ |
| July Oats | — | 29¾ | 29 |
| July Pork | — | $12 40 | $12 47 |
| July Lard | — | 6 57 | 6 62 |

**MARRIED.**

RICHTVREDENBURG—In this city, June 10, '95 by Rev. Frank A. Heath, Charles J. Richtvredenburgh, of Liberty, and Rachel Vredenburgh, of Livingston Manor.

ELLIOTT—VILLET—At Westfield, N. J., June 5th, '95, John H. Villet and Sadie W., daughter of Geo. F. Elliott, formerly of the town of Montgomery.

CARVEY—SHAFER—In Newburgh, June 12th, '95, Walter Carvey, formerly of Montgomery, and Susie Shafer, both of Newburgh.

**DIED.**

TRYON—Near South Centerville, June 15th, '95, Isabelle Lee, wife of John R. Tryon, aged forty-six years, seven months, twenty-three days. Funeral Monday, from her late residence, at two o'clock. Interment at Westtown.

LOW—In Montgomery, June 11th, '95, Daniel Low aged eighty-five years.

HUNT—In Walden, June 7th, '95, Mrs. Hannah Hunt, aged sixty years.


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Owing to the lateness of the season we propose to sell our stock and have marked prices that will sell it. Look before buying elsewhere. We carry a complete stock of gent's furnishings, gloves, hosiery and underwear in all grades. Outing and negligee shirts. Look at our summer neckwear. They are beauties.

**Merchant Tailoring Dept.**

Is still rushing with orders. We have just added to our large stock of cloths some choice Scotch and serge suitings and trouserings. Mr. Rodgers continues to please the most fastidious.

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5 pieces extra quality Table Linen at 38c., value 50c.

10 pieces Black Lace Organdie imported, fast black, 16c., regular price 25c.

1 case 40 styles, fine Summer Ginghams 7½c., in stripes, checks and fancies, worth 12½c.

1 case fast black Hose 4 pairs for 25c., regular price 10c.

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Goods below any day while they last—Clark's Mile End Crochet Cotton 1½c a ball; Lace Pillow Shams 15c., 23c., 29c, 44c. a pair.

**Shirt Waists that are light and airy, at lighter prices.**

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Popular Hotel and a Money Maker.

Owner of one of the very best, most popular, oldest established, successful, all-year country hotels in this section of the State, desiring to retire, instructs me to offer same for sale for a short time, at right figure and on easy terms. This popular hotel is located within an hour's ride of this city, in an important town, and upon very popular drive, is about 90x40, 3 stories, with large sheds, barns, carriage houses, etc.; all buildings in first-class order and condition. Hotel has large, steady, all year business, and in summer is crowded to its utmost capacity with city boarders. For further particulars apply to

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**Morris B. Wolf,**

**Clothing, Hats, and Furnishings,**

**10 North Street.**

## EVERY YOUNG MISS

BETWEEN

## The Ages of 10 and 18 Years, Attention!

Do you know that you can earn a $55 Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine or a $25 ladies' solid Gold Watch, or a $10 Plush Rocker by doing a very little work for us in June Call at once at our store and we will give you a bunch of tickets to give to your friends, and the young miss that sends us the greatest amount of trade will receive the machine, the next highest the watch, and the third the rocker. We have decided to reduce our stock of Furniture, Crockery and Carpets during June, and will offer real bargains in every department.

These rich prizes will be awarded July 1st. Every girl invited to compete.

**C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.**

Nos. 44-46 North street,

Middletown, N. Y.


Delicious home-grown Strawberries are now at their best—full of the sweetness of "June days."

Our Soda Fountain—"The Old Reliable," is getting in its best work, serving Ice Cream Soda Water with "June day" Strawberry Syrup and "crushed fruit," all pure fruit, all rich, clear, cold and sparkling—every drop of it a delight Popular prices—5 cents.

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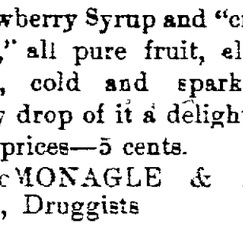


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# DAILY ARGUS.

**OPEN EVENINGS.**

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

**WEATHER INDICATIONS.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15.—Fair; southerly winds.

**THE TEMPERATURE.**

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 68°; 12 m., 81°; 3 p. m., 84°.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

—Agent wanted by the Narcoti Chemical Co
—Sixty cents a bushel for potatoes at J. W. Sloat's.
—Fireworks, wholesale and retail, at Dayton's.
—E. Robshaw will carry on the shoe repairing business in the rear of the Commercial.
—Large variety of white parasols $1.25 up at Carson & Towner's.
—Presents for commencement week at Harford & Horton's.
—Guaranteed tooth brushes 25 cents at Tuthill's Pharmacy.
—Examination for chief examiner to the Civil Service Commission about Sept. 1st.
—Fine building lots, on Richmond Hill, for sale.
—Boys' shoes $1 up at Chas. D. Hanford's.
—Home for little girl wanted.
—All wool pants $2 at Morris B. Wolf's.
—Fine butter and cheese at Mapes Bros.
—Good insurance companies represented by E. E. Corkling.
—Sixty-seven styles of corsets for sale at Fancher's.
—The Walter A. Wood mowers, reapers and rakes for sale by Brink & Clark.
—Fresh vegetables received daily at Bull & Youngblood's
—Straw hats, wholesale and retail, at John E. Adams's.
—Three prizes for misses. See adv. of C. E Crawford Furniture Co.
—Tan shoes $2 to $4 at John Bradley's.
—Wool dress goods $1.25 per dress at H. E Churchill & Co.'s.

**LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.**

—Additional local matter will be found on second and third pages.

—The Middletown Wheelmen take a run to Warwick, to-morrow.

—A special meeting of the Middletown Wheelmen will be held, Monday evening.

—The attendance at the Band concert, at Midway Park, last evening, was very light.

—The Ontario Base Ball Club went to Florida, to-day, to try conclusions with the nine of that place.

—A Kingston woman recently gave birth to a child, one of the feet of which was like a dog's paw.

—The Auxiliary of Ontario Hose Co has decided to hold a festival and hop next Thursday evening, at Ontario truck house.

—Will F. Shaw, the new landlord of the Hamilton House, opened that place for business this morning. It has been handsomely refitted.

—A band of gypsies, six wagon loads of them, arrived in town, last night, and went into camp near the southern outskirts of the city.

—The Chester National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent., payable on and after June 15th.

—A farm hand named Elmer Hicks was arrested in New Windsor, yesterday, and taken to Broome county to answer the charge of having set fire to a barn.

—An open competition examination for the office of Chief Examiner of the Civil Service Commission of the State will be held at Albany on or about Sept. 1st.

—Fred Hawkins, who escaped from the Binghamton State Hospital in 1883 returned to that city Thursday and was arrested. He could not tell where he had been for the last nine years, but his clothing indicated that he had recently served a term in a penitentiary. He was taken in charge by the Superintendent of the Poor.

**PERSONAL.**

—Mrs H. S. Dusenberry left this morning, for a few weeks' visit with relatives in Wayne County, Pa.

—Mr. Geo. Hoase, of Ramsey's N J. has been visiting at Mrs. M. E Wilkin's, on Academy avenue.

—Mrs. E C. Royce, of Middletown, is visiting at the home of her father, E F. Dewey, on East street.—*Walton Times.*

—Mr. C W. Thorne and daughter, Mabel, of West Haven, Conn., have been spending several days with relatives in town.

—Mr. Talcott O. Vanamee, a student in St. Stephen's College at Annandale, N. Y., arrived home, today, for the summer vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Carpenter went to Ogdensburg, N. J., this morning, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carpenter's father, Mr. Joseph Henion, who died, suddenly last night of Bright's disease.

—"Gad" and Wm. McPhillamy, of Middletown, were in Liberty, Wednesday.. Owing to a break in some of the intricate machinery of Sinsabaugh's woop-working shops, in which "Gad" is employed, he will probably remain in Liberty this summer.—*Register.*

**Bicyclists in Collision.**

At noon, to-day, Mr. Andrew J. Smith, manager of the Hudson River Telephone Co., while mounting his wheel in front of the post office, was run into by a bicyclist, a stranger in town, and the front wheel of his machine completely wrecked. The stranger's wheel was not damaged. Mr. Smith was tumbled in the gutter, but was not hurt.

Have you taken the time to satisfy yourself that the persons treated by Drs. Jones & Potter are perfectly and permanently cured of their rupture? Russell House, Thursdays.

## WOMAN'S EDITION OF THE ARGUS.

**The Very Handsome Sum of $875 Netted for Thrall Hospital.**

The managers of Thrall Hospital have closed up the accounts of the Woman's Edition of the ARGUS, which they published for the benefit of the hospital, and are able to announce that the amount realized from the publication was $875.

The ARGUS is naturally very much pleased and gratified at the handsome sum netted by the hospital managers from their journalistic venture. The ladies have done much better than we supposed they would be able to do, when the proposition that they go into the newspaper business was first made to them, but they worked a great deal harder than we supposed they could or would, and fairly won the great success they have achieved.

## THE HOGAN BOILER COMPANY.

**Installing Boilers at Newark, N. J, and Glen Cove, L. I.—Interesting and Important Test at Newark.**

The Hogan Boiler Company is erecting a 250 horse power boiler at Newark, N. J., which is about completed; and another of 100 horse power at Glen Cove, L. I, which will be ready for work in about ten days.

The installation of a Hogan boiler at Newark is looked forward to with great interest, the local conditions of water supply being such as to make it possible to test it in one of the strong points the company claims for it, namely, that it will not take on scale no matter what the constituent properties of the water used. The well water at Newark is so strongly impregnated with lime as to preclude its use in boilers of other patterns, while the city water, which is soft enough, is very costly to manufacturers. Steam users in Newark predict a great field for the Hogan boiler in that city in case this sample boiler doesn't scale using the well water of the locality. The company is altogether confident of the favorable result of this test.

## AN AFTERNOON TEA.

**A Pleasant Social Event at Mrs. William Millspaugh's.**

Mrs. Wm. Millspaugh entertained a large number of her lady friends at an afternoon tea at her pleasant home on Orchard street, from 4 to 7 o'clock, yesterday.

The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mesdames G. M. Millspaugh, S. H. Talcott, W. H Rogers, A V N. Powelson, H. W. Wiggins, A. H. Corwin, Phebe Palen and Elizabeth Madden and Miss Flora Horton.

The tables were presided over very gracefully by Miss Bessie Gildersleeve, Miss Belle Hayes, Miss Fannie Corwin, Miss Horton and Misses Jennie and Mary Horton.

**St. Elizabeth Society Attends the Funeral of a Member.**

About twenty ladies of this city, members of the St. Elizabeth Society of St. Joseph's Church, went to Port Jervis, this morning, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Dwyer, who was a member of the society. The funeral was held at St. Mary' Church and the interment was in the cemetery attached to the church.

**A Boy's Lucky Escape.**

A twelve-year-old son of A M May, a Deerpark creameryman, fell from the creamery wagon, yesterday morning, and, although the rear wheel passed over his body, lengthwise, it is alleged he was scarcely injured at all and wanted to continue at work.

**Baccalaureate Sermon.**

The graduating class of Wallkill Academy will attend the First Congregational Church, to-morrow morning, and listen to the baccalaureate sermon, which will be preached by Rev. Dr. Robinson. The church has been very handsomely decorated for the occasion by members of the class.

**A Walden Merchant Drops Dead.**

Mr. Thomas Cockroft, one of the oldest business men of Walden, dropped dead in his store about 8 o'clock, Thursday night. He had been working at something in front of his store and stepped inside to wait on a customer when he fell dead without uttering a word.

**Real Estate Notes.**

—A. V. Boak, real estate agent, has sold for Messrs. Bull & Youngblood, lot No. 103 Lincoln street, 50x100 feet to Mr. George A Green, of this city, who will at once erect a handsome cottage.

—A. Coddington, real estate agent, sold yesterday for Rosa Ball, her house, No. 57 Grand avenue, to Michael Hoey.

**A Syrian Wedding.**

Miss Holmes, who has been a missionary in Syria, gave an address descriptive of the Syrian people and customs at the First Presbyterian Church, last evening.

Syrian wedding customs were illustrated in costume, Miss Etta Knight representing the bride, Mr. Arthur Gordon the groom, and Dr. Fred C. Royce the priest.

The entertainment netted $60 for the Ladies' Aid Society.

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## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

**"The Creation" at Warwick—To Sing at the Presbyterian Church—The Circus—Epworth League Festival—Death of J. J. Green—McKee's Aggregation—Home From the South.**

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

—Haydn's oratorio, "Creation," given by the Warwick Vocal Society and the Goshen Vocal Society in the Reformed Church at Warwick, last night, was a grand success, and was listened to by a large audience consisting of the elite of that village and vicinity. The work was given under the direction of Rev. R B. Clark, of Goshen, with a chorus of about 60 voices, a full orchestra and organ. The solo artists were Miss Kathrine Hike, soprano; Mr. George E. Devoll, tenor and Mr. Erisson F. Bushnell, bass. The grand oratoria was never heard in Orange county to better advantage than it was last night. The work of the chorus, the soloists and the orchestra was perfect, and the listners showed their appreciation of the musical feast by a hearty enthusiasm as each number was concluded.

—Miss Margaret M. Leverich will sing at the morning and evening services in the Presbyterian Church, to-morrow.

—On Thursday evening, June 20th, the Epworth League will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival in the parlors of the M. E. Church.

—Mr. James McKee will open the season at Deckertown, N. J., on July 4th, with his aggregation of running horses, trained steers, Roman chariot races, etc.

—Mr. Seneca Jessup returned, Wednesday, from Asheville, N. C., where he had been for several weeks past to benefit his health.

—James J. Green died at the residence of his father, Rev. J. Wesley Green, in this village, last night, of lung trouble, aged twenty-seven years.

—Bob Hunting's circus will be at Goshen next Monday.

## IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

**Some Local Notes—Personal Mention—June Bugs and June Roses—Apropos of Foolish Fears Generally.**

From a Special Correspondent.

—The rehearsals of the Vocal Society will be discontinued until after the return of the leader, Rev. R. B. Clark, from Europe.

—The private schools in this village closed this week for the summer vacation. The public schools will close next week. The commencement exercises will be held in Music Hall, next Friday evening.

—Miss Marie Ireland, a young lady who is very well known in Goshen, has secured an excellent position as stenographer and typewriter in the office of a New York architect.

—The June bug and its lovely companions are faded and gone, and the June roses are here, for both of which facts we have cause to feel thankful. As the little boy who said that he didn't mind so much when his mother spanked him, because it felt so good when she stopped, so the only thing that can make the June bugs existence bearable to us is that the world seems so much pleasanter when it is gone. No doubt it is a well meaning insect, but its attempts at sociability are seldom well received. But the June roses are quite another matter, it is agreeable to be on terms of intimacy with them. They are here now in profusion, their petals filling the air with their fragrance. The modest white one, the conscious blush one and, now and then a sweet old fashioned damask one, blooming in some half forgotten corner of the garden: the glowing, flaunting "Jacks," every bush of them, every dainty, maidenly bud and matronly, full blown flower, contributes its share to the scent laden atmosphere of a fine June day.

—It is said that when the new fire alarm was tried a couple of weeks ago, some of the more superstitious portion of the community thought that the last day had come, and, falling on their knees, began to beg for mercy. Funny as this seems to us, if we would but confess it, there are but few of us who are not seized upon now and then by some sudden and utterly unreasonable panic. It may take you when you are either up late at night after everyone else in the house is in bed. You know there really isn't anything in that dark corner behind your chair, but you don't exactly like to turn around and make sure of it, and you realize in an uncomfortable way the sensations of the persons in that cheerful ditty, "The Ancient Mariner," the one who,

"On a lonesome road doth walk with fear and dread,
Because he knows a frightful fiend doth close behind him tread,"

and you feel creepy and wish you didn't have to put the light out before you went up stairs; or it may come upon you just as you are drawing your last foot into bed, in the feeling that some one, or worse yet something will grab it. It is not by any means only the young and ignorant who are liable to be panic stricken.

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## NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE.

**Forty-Four Candidates, Nineteen of Them Middletowners to be Initiated in Port Jervis—The Ordeal in Store for Them.**

The forty-four candidates elected to Mecca Temple of the Mystic Shrine are expected to be at Masonic Hall, in Port Jervis, for initiation promptly at 6:30 p. m. on June 21st.

Mr. George W. Dowe, through whose influence the opportunity was given Masons in this locality to take the degree, says that no old fashioned appliances will be used on this occasion. Even the historic goat will take no part in the proceedings, but he has secured from Sells Brothers one of their camels, which every candidate will be required to ride, and the final act in the initiatory ceremonies will be the dumping of candidates from the third story window into the sluiceway leading to the canal.

As there are nineteen candidates in this city they will be interested in the preparations being made for their reception.

Guests will be present at the ceremonies from Scranton, Wilkesbarre, New York, Brooklyn, Albany, Poughsie, Newburgh and Kingston.

## BOB HUNTING'S CIRCUS.

**The Ever Popular Bob Draws a Big Crowd.**

"Bob" Hunting has a firm hold upon the people who like to see a circus. His train arrived in town at an early hour, this morning, and and there were hundreds of boys and men there to see that the unloading was properly done.

At an early hour the streets began to fill with people from the city and the surrounding country, and when the parade started the sidewalk for several blocks were crowded.

The parade was a creditable one and the performance, this afternoon, on the pleasure grounds was up to the standard.

Another performance will be given this evening.

## WHOSE BABY IS IT?

**A Month Old Child Abandoned Last Night on the Lawn of a Newburgh Residence.**

A boy baby, about a month old, healthy, well developed and well clad, was found, last night, on the lawn of the Rogers place, on Grand street, Newburgh. The child had evidently been left there by some one anxious to get rid of him. A nursing bottle, half filled with milk, was by the child. The police sent the baby to the Children's Home. There is no clue to the parentage of the child or to the party who abandoned it.

**A New Undertaking Establishment.**

Mr. I. D. Osterhout, to-day, opened his undertaking establishment in the Low building corner of North street and Wickham avenue. The rooms have been tastefully fitted up and stocked with all the necessary supplies. He has received an elegant hearse and a fine casket wagon will arrive to-day.

Mr. Osterhout hopes to secure a share of patronage.

**A Change of Proprietors.**

Alderman W. C. F. Bastian has sold his cafe on James street to Mr. William Douglas, formerly a conductor on the O. and W. Mr. Douglas has many friends who will wish him success in his new venture.

**Parlor Concert by the Schubert Club.**

Mr. and Mrs. Vanamee have issued cards for a parlor concert by the Schubert Club, Friday evening, June 21st.

**The Ladies**

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**I. O. O. F. Memorial Day.**

Odd Fellows' Memorial Day will be observed to-morrow (Sunday), June 16th, by public exercises at the lodge rooms, at 3 p. m. Decorating the graves of deceased brothers will take place in the morning. Those contributing flowers will please leave them at the lodge rooms after 7 p. m. to-night or before 8:30 a. m. Sunday.


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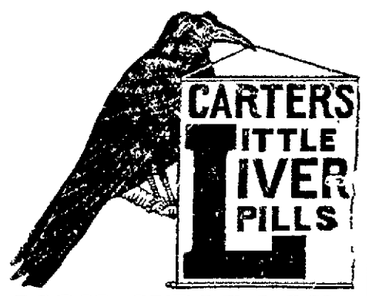


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The lagging minutes lengthen out
In famine's deadly hold.
He sits and longs, like Tantalus,
His dinner growing cold.

No hooded, grim inquisitor
Inflicts his long drawn pain.
He pays a price to suffer it,
Disdaining to complain.

Oh, sing of heroes dead in war,
But here I pledge in wine
The third class passenger who rides
On a suburban line!

—Fred B. Wells in Home and Country.

## HYPNOTIZED.

"There isn't anybody living who can hypnotize me."

"Don't be too sure, Leonora," said her husband. "You cannot afford to run a tilt against science."

"But I deny that it is science. What has ever been proved by hypnotism? It is foolish to argue about it, for I will not even admit that there is such a thing. The shrewd people who go about the country giving exhibitions of their power are always in collusion with some one in the audience—you know that yourself, Ned."

"Nothing of the kind," retorted Ned, as Mrs. Darl called her husband. "It is a science that is yet in its infancy, and there are only a few individuals who have the hypnotic power and are able to throw less positive subjects into a trance. But I have seen it done, and it is wonderful—wonderful."

"What did you see?"

"I saw a young man climb walls like a cat, drink milk out of a saucer, catch a mouse, and then wash his face and hands as a cat does. And when he came out of the trance he had no idea that he had done any of these things or that he had even lost consciousness."

"Hum!" said Mrs. Darl incredulously, "I don't believe a word of it. If he did all that you said he did, he was simply a conspirator. And what good can such a faculty bring to science, I should like to know? Where is the scientific value in acting like a cat or a monkey?"

"Why, don't you see, dear, it is the verification of a theory?"

"No, I do not see. And I am not sure that I would believe it if I did see it. The whole stock in trade of these hypnotizers is the power of producing an illusion. I defy any of them to hypnotize me."

"I had intended asking you to go with me to the exhibition tonight."

"And be transmogrified into a cat? No, indeed! If I make a sacrifice of myself in the cause of science, it must be for something worth while. You have yet to convince me, Ned, that what you call the hypnotic sleep is not assumed to help carry out the plan of the hypnotizer or as a means of creating a sensation. There is no one living who could by a few ridiculous passes, a stare or pressure of my thumbs make me do anything I did not choose to do."

"But you acknowledge, do you not, that a strong will can control a weak one?"

"Yes, and always could, but that is as old as the days of Adam, who was evidently in subjection to Eve. I suppose some one will say that deep sleep which overtook our first father when his rib was taken from him was hypnotic. It would be just about as sensible."

"I have an idea," said Mr. Darl suddenly. "Suppose, since Mohammed won't go to the mountain, that the mountain comes to Mohammed. The hypnotist can come here after the entertainment, and we will invite a few neighbors in, and he can give an exhibition of his powers. How does that idea strike you?"

"Favorably, Ned. There are the Rusts, and the Pebbles and Dr. Smithly and his wife, and Cousin Fanny and her husband. You can let them know, and I will order refreshments, and we will have an evening of hypnotism. It will begin late, but we can find other amusement until your hypnotic operator comes."

Mrs. Darl had everything arranged—her house in beautiful order and herself gorgeous in a dress of ruby velvet, which was far too fine for the occasion, but was worn as a piece de resistance, she having read that velvet resisted hypnotic influence.

The neighbors and relatives came, a merry company, and the time passed in an animated discussion upon the power of hypnotism, one friend going so far in research as to visit the library and look up that wonderful story, the "House of Seven Gables," and read aloud to attentive listeners a passage from the weird history of Alice Pyncheon.

"He spoke, and Alice responded with a soft, subdued inward acquiescence and a bending of her form toward him, like the flame of a torch when it indicates a gentle draft of air. He beckoned with his hand, and rising from her chair the proud Alice approached him. He waved her back, and retreating Alice sunk again into her seat.

"'She is mine,' said Matthew Maule. 'Mine by the right of the strongest spirit.'

"'Oh, that was mesmerism,' said Mrs. Darl as the reading ceased.

"And what is mesmerism?" asked one of the company. "I think that it is as unexplainable as hypnotism, if it is not the same thing. Oh, here they are now! Let us hold on to our chairs, or we may be spirited away to China. I, for one, am afraid."

"I am not," said the queenly hostess as she swept forward in velvet and diamonds to meet her husband and his guest.

A pale, composed looking man accompanied Mr. Darl, and he did not seem surprised by the elegance of his hostess or flushed by the critical gaze of the company.

After the introductions were made and conversation became general, Mrs. Darl slipped into the hall and beckoned to her husband, who immediately joined her. Then she whispered in his ear:

"If—if—by any possibility he should be able to hypnotize me, you will not let him make me do anything ridiculous?"

"My dear Leona, how can you imagine such a possibility? But if you have any fear"—

"Fear!" echoed his wife scornfully in a stage whisper. "You will see that he cannot make the slightest impression on me." And she went back to the parlor and found one of her guests climbing the piano to escape an imaginary bear that was pursuing him. A few passes and he was restored to his normal condition, looking very foolish.

There were some amusing and some perplexing exhibitions of the professor's power, then the company followed host and hostess to the dining room, where a generous spread awaited them. Mrs. Darl was rather silent. Her test would be the next one, and she watched the wiry hands of the young professor as if his secret lay in them. But they were harmlessly busy with the sandwiches. His face was quite noncommittal too. What was the power he held of reducing the will to a mere blank? She would soon know.

Back in the parlor Mrs. Darl seated herself under the brilliant chandelier.

"Not there," said the professor, but she did not intend to yield to any command of his and said quietly:

"I prefer to sit here."

"Then I cannot hypnotize you."

"Oh, you acknowledge that it is only under certain conditions that this great power can be displayed?"

"Certainly, there are conditions that must be complied with. I am positive, and you are negative, but you are a very difficult subject because you are resisting me with all your might."

Mrs. Darl looked reproachfully at her husband and said in the dumb alphabet of the married, "You have told him."

He flushed back in the same language, "I have not," and she moved in accordance with the wish of the professor and sat with her back to the light. Some of the company were removed to remote parts of the room, but a few, including Mr. Darl, stood near.

"Look into my eyes," said the professor. "Permit me." And he took her hands and pressed the thumbs gently.

"It is like being in a dentist's chair," said Mrs. Darl, with a little forced laugh. Then she attempted to rise, struggling slightly, but continued to look into the eyes of the hypnotizer until in the place of two eyes she saw 20. Then she asserted her will and shook herself free.

"I—told—you—I—could—not be—hypnotized," she said. Her voice sounded strange and far away. "How queer I feel! Staring so long has made me dizzy."

"Drink this," said Mr. Darl, giving his wife a glass of water.

She drank it, then rose to her feet and said she felt as well as ever.

"Where is the professor?" she asked. "I expect he has lost faith in his science."

"He was here a moment ago," said her cousin Fanny anxiously. "He thought he had succeeded in hypnotizing you, Leona. Were you not unconscious?"

"Not for one moment," said Mrs. Darl triumphantly. "He held my thumbs until they were numb—why!—where!—Ned!"

"What is it, Leona?" he asked in surprise at her peculiar tone.

"Where are my diamonds?"

There was a startled exclamation from every one present. Mrs. Darl stood there bereft of every jewel she possessed. Not a single one of her gems which had flashed on her fingers, at her throat, in her ears, was now visible. Dazed, she held up her ringless hands and said:

"Is this a joke? What does it mean? Where are my diamonds?"

"Where is the professor?"

"Search the house!"

"Send for the police!"

But the professor had left for parts unknown, and with him went Mrs. Darl's diamonds, and neither the police nor the Darls ever saw or heard of them or him again. But one thing was in his favor. Not only had he successfully hypnotized Mrs. Darl, but, as Mr. Darl admitted, he must have hypnotized the whole company in order to bring his hypnotic scheme to such a climax.

And Mrs. Darl is at last a convert to both the theory and practice of the occult science and a firm believer in the power of the hypnotic will.—Mrs. M. L. Rayne in Free Press.


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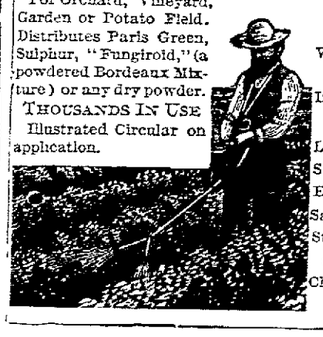

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St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 7, 1894.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg Co., La Crosse Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Keeley Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured. I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your 'Baco-Curo' simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it.
Yours very truly, C. W. HORNICK.

Rodden, Ill., Jan. 14, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for thirty-three years and during the past two years have used chewing tobacco very extensively. My nervous system has been affected considerable. I have often tried to give up the use of tobacco, but always failed, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I used tobacco at the same time while taking "Baco-Curo," and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco—smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health, and consider your 'Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tobacco habit.
Yours truly, JOHN RODDEN,
Postmaster, Rodden, Ill.

Rodden, Ill., Jan. 15, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg Co., La Crosse Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have used chewing tobacco very extensively the past thirty years. I tried so-called "No-To-Bac" and other remedies, but without success until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I continued chewing tobacco while taking the preparation and find that the horrible craving for tobacco has left me, and I consider myself cured. I can fully recommend 'Baco-Curo" to any person wishing to break themselves of the tobacco habit.
Yours very truly, D. S. WHITE.

Independence, Wis., Jan. 23, 1895.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., LaCrosse, Wis.
Gentlemen—Last summer I furnished Mr James Reid, of the town of Burnside, Trempealeau Co., with three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." He had chewed tobacco for over forty years and the last year used over sixty-five pounds. He commenced using "Baco-Curo" and one box did not have the effect, when he had used about one-half of the second box, he began to lose his taste for tobacco, and when he had used one-half of the third box he had lost all his appetite for it, and is now entirely cured.
Yours truly, J. C. TAYLOR, Druggist.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer of Atlantic, County of Cass, State of Iowa, having been an inveterate smoker of tobacco, bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo" Dec. 21, 1894. Began taking same according to directions and can say that I am completely cured of the tobacco habit. "Baco-Curo" is simply wonderful and I recommend it to all who are slaves to the tobacco habit and wish to be cured. I am in perfect health and have not felt so well in years. That terrible craving, which every tobacco user has more or less, has completely disappeared and I feel like a new man. Hoping that this may do some one good and lead them to try this wonderful remedy, "Baco-Curo," I remain, Yours truly,
WM. S. SAWYER, Atlantic, Iowa.

Clayton, Nevada Co., Ark., Jan. 28, 1 95.
Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse, Wis.
Gentlemen—For forty years I used tobacco in all its forms. For twenty-five years of that time I was a great sufferer from general debility and heart disease. For fifteen years I tried to quit, but couldn't. I took various remedies, among others "No-To-Bac." "The Indian Tobacco Antidote," "Double Chloride of Gold," etc., etc., but none of them did me the least bit of good. Finally, however, I purchased a box of your "Baco-Curo" and it has entirely cured me of the habit in all its forms, and I have increased thirty pounds in weight and am relieved from all the numerous aches and pains of body and mind. I could write a quire of paper upon my changed feelings and condition.
Yours respectfully, P. H. MARBURY,
Pastor C. P. Church, Clayton, Ark.

## WHAT MR. KRAEMER SAYS OF "BACO-CURO."

ATLANTIC, Iowa, Feb. 4, 1895.

This is to certify that I, F. D. Kraemer, of Atlantic, Iowa, was an inveterate smoker of cigarettes for more than two years.

About eight weeks ago I bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo." I began taking it according to directions, and after taking one and one-half boxes, all the desire for cigarettes left me, and I have had no desire since.

I can heartily recommend "Baco-Curo" to all who are slaves to the cigarette habit or tobacco habit in any form, and are in search of a cure. I had become so under the influence of cigarettes, I could not remember anything; could not study, unless under the influence of the drug, which is death in the end, if kept up.

Cigarettes are sapping the lives out of more boys and young men to-day, than anything that is known to the world. Boys, before it is too late get some of this remedy that killed the craving for cigarettes in me and save your young life. Restore yourself to manhood. You will feel as though you had escaped an awful doom, and you have, when cured by "Baco-Curo," for you feel like a new being. I never felt better in all my life than at this present writing. I did not know what was the matter with me, until informed by the agent. He told me what was the reason I could not do anything unless under the influence of the death-dealing poison found in cigarettes. I did not believe him at first, until he explained the action on the system. Then I bought the goods and thank God and all concerned. I am a sound person to-day. Hoping that this may reach the unfortunate cigarette smoker, I remain, Yours respectfully,
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## THAT ACCIDENT.

**It Didn't Keep Her Out, So Far as Jack Was Concerned.**

She lay on the sofa in her prettiest tea gown, with the blinds carefully lowered, and her dearest friend, rushing into the room, exclaimed:

"Oh, Effie, I've just heard that you had an accident the other day, and I came right over to sympathize and hear all about it."

"Indeed, I had," she groaned. "I had no idea it hurt so badly just to fall off a wheel. It was all Fan's fault too."

"How did she manage it?"

"Well, it came about this way. You know, Jack is a bicycle enthusiast, and I knew if I wanted—that is, if I cared to"—

"Don't be bashful, dear. Those eyes would be your excuse if his bank account was not."

"Well, I knew I must learn to ride one of the horrid things, so I asked him to teach me. He was delighted, and then Fan decided she must learn, too, and, of course, politeness obliged him to offer to teach her too. We each bought a wheel and got a lovely bicycle suit. Mine is"—

"Yes, yes. I'll see it later. Go on."

"I said nothing to any one, but I was determined to get ahead of Miss Fan, so I just took a few lessons on the sly. You should have seen Jack's surprise when he took us out for the first time and found I could ride right off, for, of course, I didn't think it necessary to speak of the lessons."

"Of course not. Now, did Fan"—

"Oh, Jess, if you could only have seen her! She wabbled about and scrambled and plunged and held on to Jack until I was actually ashamed of her. It was so bold and unfeminine. Poor Jack, he couldn't get away for an instant. I saw then I'd made a great mistake."

"But didn't he praise your ability?"

"Oh, yes. But praise doesn't amount to much when it has to be shouted to you 15 feet away and interrupted by screams and clutches as his was."

"But wasn't it any better next time?"

"It was not, or the next, either. She didn't make any effort to learn—she just played off those eyelashes and clung to him and screamed, and I did not think he displayed an unnecessary amount of patience."

"Why didn't you get her out to practice alone?"

"I did try, but she wouldn't go—said she'd never dare to mount her wheel without Jack. Well, I knew I must do something, so the next time we went out I just went over a stone and fell. He left Fan quick enough then—but I fell harder than I meant to and sprained my wrist awfully.

"Oh, well, it wasn't so bad after all, since Jack is a medical student."

"I know. He brought me home, bandaged my wrist and has been coming over every day to look at it. Fan came with him one day and told me that it was all because I was too independent, and asked Jack if he didn't admire clinging, feminine women."

"That girl will be the death of me some day."

"M'hm. I'm sorry now that I fell. You see an hour a day spent here doesn't amount to much, and Fan pretends that she is so anxious to learn and has him out every spare moment."

"And she is not learning a bit faster, either. Why, here comes Katie!"

And after a hasty greeting, Katie cried: "Oh, Effie, I've come to ask you to be my bridesmaid. You see, Jack and I quarreled two weeks ago because I refused to ride a wheel. Yesterday he came over and said I was quite right. I was not to be outdone in generosity, so I said I'd ride, after all, and—well, the wedding is set for June."

"How perfectly lovely," remarked Jess. "By the way, if you want to buy a wheel cheap, I'm sure Fan would be glad to sell you hers—she has no use for it."

"Thank you," replied the bride elect. "I shall speak to her about it. Why, Effie, I'm afraid you must be suffering more than Jack thinks. I declare you look quite feverish."—Chicago Times-Herald.

### Alas!

Angelina—A half an hour has went, and still he hasn't come. Great heavens, can he have discovered that I have a past? If so, his manly arm will never again encircle my wasplike waist, his hazel eyes will never gaze so fondly into mine, these ruby lips will never— Oh, it is too much. Why should I be confronted thus with me own past?—New York World.

### Literature In the Suburbs.

First Book Agent—Keep away from that house! I had a terrible experience there.

Second Book Agent—What happened to you?

First Book Agent—Man wanted me to trade the encyclopedia for lots down in that swamp. He'd hardly let me go.—Brooklyn Life.

### The Proud Boston Boy.

The little Boston boy was so plainly puffed up with juvenile vanity that the visitor noticed it.

"Robert seems unusually proud today," she said.

"Yes," the fond mother answered. "He has on his first pair of spectacles."—Indianapolis Journal.

### Just the Thing.

Miss Wellalong—I think I made quite a sensation in my antique costume at the levee last evening.

Miss Marketmade—Oh, decidedly! Everybody exclaimed, "How appropriate!"—Boston Transcript.


Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.


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Mr. McLean is the son of Washington McLean, who, together with James J. Faran, owned the Cincinnati Enquirer years ago. Young McLean received an

JOHN R. M'LEAN.

excellent education and then began work on his father's paper, which was then a journal of small circulation. He took a keen interest in politics, and seemed possessed of such enterprise and good judgment that his father finally turned over to him the McLean interest in the paper. Shortly thereafter young McLean bought Faran's interest and made The Enquirer such a wide awake and enterprising journal that it rapidly increased in circulation and made its young proprietor a rich man. He is credited with great executive and journalistic ability, is liberal to his employees and is a good friend and a dangerous enemy.

A number of years ago Mr. McLean built a palatial residence in Washington, and has since lived there. He owns a great deal of Washington real estate, gas and street railroad stock, is the possessor of much valuable realty in Cincinnati, and is said to be worth fully $2,000,000. In 1884 Mr. McLean, then a bachelor of 35, married Miss Emily T. Beale, daughter of General Edward F. Beale of Washington.

When he was a young man, Mr McLean was a clever baseball player, and often caught behind the bat for Harry Wright and Brainerd, "the count." One day while officiating as catcher he was struck in the eye by the ball and remained in a darkened room two months before his sight was considered safe.

### A Variegated Lake.

Lake Maggiore, Italy, has water of three different colors—on the east, brick red; north, pure green; south, deep blue.

### A Daring Forgery.

A neat forgery was recently committed by a Parisian criminal, one Altmayer, which in its adroitness and audacity was worthy of "Jim the Penman" himself.

The accused had lately had several hearings at the Palais de Justice before M. Villiers, juge d'instruction. Several times during these hearings M. Villiers was summoned from the room for a few minutes at a time.

During one of these absences the culprit contrived to get possession of a sheet of paper and an envelope with official printed heading, and also to affix the official seal. Then he drew up at his leisure a document ordering his own immediate release, counterfeiting with rare skill the judge's signature.

On quitting the court one day he handed the letter thus prepared to the sentinel stationed in the corridor and remarked in an offhand manner, "The judge wants you to carry this letter immediately to the director of the Mazas prison." The soldier, suspecting nothing, took the letter and accompanied the prisoner to Mazas. A few minutes later Altmayer was summoned to the director's office and was informed that he was a free man.

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## THOSE DIAMONDS.

**Mrs. Lambkin Didn't Count on Such Bad Luck.**

Young Mrs. Lambkin was delighted to see her dear Marie when she called. Indeed she assured her of the fact herself.

"I was beginning to fear lest you were unable to come, as you expected," she remarked. "It was growing so late."

"Oh, I was determined to come. You see, it will be my last chance before I go, and California is so far away that I may not be back in Chicago for untold ages."

"Yes, indeed, you poor exile. But never mind. Your husband may make enough money to enable you to live in Chicago some day."

"No doubt. But of course I should not be satisfied unless I had my own home—though really your little flat seems very nice, and no doubt you are quite contented in it."

"Oh, yes! One could be contented anywhere with Alexius. You have no idea how happy we are."

"Indeed I always quite liked him in the days when he spent most of his time at our house."

"Yes, I remember. It was immediately across from my home. He could keep watch on all my movements from your windows."

"Very likely. I remember that you were generally at one of the front windows. Do you find this a pleasant neighborhood?"

"Quite so. I'm always afraid of burglars, and now I shall be more so than ever."

"I should be awfully afraid myself. But, then, I received such handsome wedding presents"—

"Speaking of presents," interrupted Mrs. Lambkin as she drew out a case and opened it, "today is my birthday, and see what a lovely gift my husband brought me."

"Diamonds!" gasped Marie. "How lovely! But—but aren't you afraid he will ruin himself giving you such expensive things? I shouldn't think of allowing my husband to do it."

"But, then, dear Alexius is such a good business man. He can quite afford it."

"Who would have thought it in the days when he used to come to see"—

"I was surprised when he gave it to me. I hadn't the least idea—why, here comes Alexius himself. Whatever has brought him home so early today? Just give me that case, will you, dear? He—he always hates display."

"Oh, bother! What if he does? I haven't half looked at it. Do you quite like the setting? Why, Mr. Lambkin, how do you do? I am just admiring dear Endora's lovely diamonds."

"Endora Lambkin, wherever did you get those things?" queried her husband, oblivious of the signs she was making to him.

And just then the door opened once more, and the head of the hired girl appeared.

"If you please, Mrs. Lambkin," she remarked, "the young man from Stone & Silver's is here to ask about them there diamonds they sent on approval."

In the slight pause which followed dear Marie arose, smiling, and said that she really must go.—Chicago Times-Herald.

### A Puzzling Question.

"Yonder she comes," said a tall, lank man who was sitting on a trunk near the railroad station.

"Yonder who comes?" asked a fat, heavy man who sat near him.

"The train," replied the lank man.

"Why do you say, 'Yonder she comes?'" asked the fat man.

"Well, that's the customary way of speaking of a train, isn't it? And custom is what fixes things. Everybody says, 'Yonder she comes,' in speaking of a train's approach."

"Well, I insist you should have said 'Yonder he comes.'"

"Oh, pshaw! Nobody ever says 'he' in speaking of a train," returned the lean man.

"Well, I'll agree to leave it to the station agent and see if it wouldn't have been better for you to have said, 'Yonder he comes,'" added the fat man.

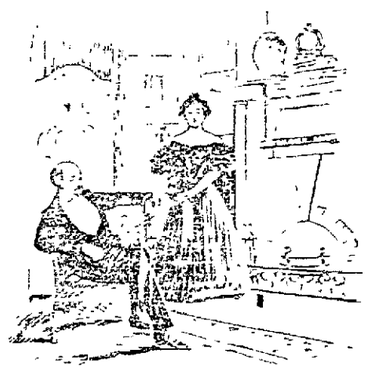
Both agreed to it, and when they had found the agent the fat man asked:

"What is the train just coming into the station?"

"It's a mail train," he answered.

Then the lean man went out and bought a good cigar for the fat man.—Washington Post.

### An Incentive.



"And I only married to reform you!"

"Yeh, but of cursh a man drinksh more if he marries such a fool as that."—Life.


When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.



### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.



### Are Your Hands Chapped.

If so, go to any drug store and ask for a free sample of Liquid Frangonia, a new preparation for chapped hands. Large bottles, 25c.



COUGHING LEADS TO CONSUMPTION.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 50 cents and $1.00. Go at once; delays are dangerous.



# MUNYON'S HOMOEOPATHIC REMEDIES.

MUNYON'S Rheumatism Cure never fails to relieve in three hours and cure in three days.

MUNYON'S Dyspepsia Cure is guaranteed to correct constipation and cure all forms of indigestion and stomach trouble.

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MUNYON'S Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease.

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MUNYON'S Vitalizer imparts new life, restores lost powers to weak and debilitated men. Price $1.00.

No matter what the disease is or how many doctors have failed to cure you, ask your druggist for a 25-cent vial of one of Munyon's Cures, and if you are not benefited your money will be refunded.



# W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE IS THE BEST.

FIT FOR A KING.

$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & ENAMELLED CALF.
$4. $3.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO.
$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES.
$2.50 $2. WORKINGMEN'S. -EXTRA FINE-
$2. $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
-LADIES-
$3. $2.50 $2. $1.75 BEST DONGOLA.
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C. D. HANFORD.


## TIME TABLES.

### MIDDLETOWN TIME TABLES.

### Erie Railway.

Trains leave from Middletown Stations, beginning June 9th, 1895, and continuing until further notice, as follows:

Trains marked with * run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 625, 606, 617 and 620 run Sundays only. All other trains daily except Sunday. †Train No. 5 with stop only for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof—due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed indicate connection, viz.: "S" with Newburg Branch via Greycourt; "T" with Newburg Short-cut Branch via Turners; "M" with Montgomery Branch, and "P" with Pine Island Branch.

GOING EAST.

| Nos | | James St. Sta. | Main St. Sta. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | Chicago Ex. T | 4.30 a.m. | |
| * 10 | New York Special | 6.01 " | |
| 26 | Middletown Way | 6.34 " | ....6.36 a.m. |
| 16 | Orange Co. Ex., G.M. | 7.10 " | ... 7.12 " |
| 28 | Mountain Ex., T | 8.23 " | ... 8.25 " |
| 38 | Del. Val. Ex. (M.P.G.) | 10.45 " | |
| * 6 | W. Mail, (G. ex'pt Su.) | 12 58 p.m. | ....1.00 p.m. |
| 30 | Way, T. M. P. G. | 4.13 " | |
| * 2 | C. & G. T. Ex. | 5.08 " | |
| * 8 | C. & St. L. Limited, T. | 7.12 " | |
| 22 | P. J. Local | 7.27 " | |
| * 14 | Wells Fargo Express | 10 40 " | |
| *606 | P. J. Local (Sun only) M. P. and G. T. | 8.23 a.m. | |
| 620 | P. J. Local (Su only) | 5.25 p.m. | |

GOING WEST

| Nos. | | James St. Sta. | Main St. Sta. |
|---|---|---|---|
| * 17 | Milk | 7.23 a.m. | |
| * 21 | Port Jervis Way | 10.39 " | ....10.25 a.m. |
| * 1 | Day Express | 11.00 " | |
| 9 | Del. Val. Express | 11.25 " | |
| 11 | Port Jervis Local | 1.04 p.m. | 1.01 p.m. |
| 33 | Port Jervis Exp. | 3.40 " | .... 3.37 " |
| * 5 | C. & St. L. Exp. | 5.02 " | |
| 27 | Mountain Exp. | 5.40 " | .... 5.36 " |
| 15 | Orange Co. Exp. | 6.50 " | .... 6.45 " |
| 25 | Middletown Way ar. | 8.05 " | .... 8.03 " |
| * 7 | C. & G. T. Exp. | 9.00 " | |
| 29 | Emigrant | 9.40 " | |
| * 3 | Chicago Exp. | 11.12 " | |
| 601 | Sunday Local | 10 42 a.m. | |
| 625 | P. J. Way (Sun only) | 3 19 p.m. | |
| 617 | " " " | 10 29 " | |

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at *4 15, 7.45, *9 00, 9.15, 10.30 a.m.; 1.00, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, *7.00, 7.00, *8.45, p.m. Also additional Sunday trains at 7.45, 12.30 and 7.00 p.m.

### Crawford Branch.

GOING NORTH.

| No | Leave for | James St. Sta. | Main St. Sta. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *101 | Pine Bush Mail | 11 35 a.m. | 11.40 a.m. |
| *115 | " " " | | 6 55 p.m. |
| Sundays only | | 11.05 a.m. | 11.10 a.m. |

COMING SOUTH

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *128 | Arrive from Pine Bush | | 6.13 a.m. |
| *130 | " " " " | | 6 55 p.m. |

### N. Y., O. & W. R. R.

NORTH.

Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot, Middletown, as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Milk for Norwich | 7 42 a.m. |
| Second Milk to Walton | 8.45 a.m. |
| Ontario Day Express and Mail | 10.55 a.m. |
| Sullivan Co. Express | 6 10 p.m. |
| Pacific Express | 6 52 p.m. |
| Local Freight and Passenger | 11 00 a.m. |

SOUTH

Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot for New York as follows, Main street two minutes later:

| | |
|---|---|
| Atlantic Express | 8.25 p.m. |
| Vestibule Limited | 7 55 a.m. |
| New York Day Express | 4 30 p.m. |
| Milk | 6.45 p.m. |
| Second Milk | 7.40 p.m. |
| Local Freight and Passenger | 2.30 p.m. |

Trains leave New York at 3 30, and 7.40 a.m. 3.60 and 3 45 p.m.

J. C. ANDERSON, Pass. Agt.

### N. Y., S. & W. R. R.

Trains leave Main street depot at 6 30 a.m. and 9 a.m. and 4 46 p.m. Arrive 12.04 5 10 and 7 45 p.m.

## LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery st.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Morehagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.
38—Fairview avenue and South street
21—Rung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.
1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2 2-2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call,
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time
4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out.

## LIGHTNING'S WORK IN MONTGOMERY.

**Cyrus Bowne's Residence Struck — Narrow Escape of Five Ladies — A Barn Burned and Cow Killed.**

Very heavy showers, accompanied by the severest lightning of the season, passed over the town of Montgomery Thursday afternoon and evening.

In Montgomery balls of fire ran along the telephone wires, exploding like large fire crackers. A cherry tree in the yard of James E. Pough and only a few feet from the house was struck.

Cyrus Bowne's residence, between Montgomery and Walden, was struck and somewhat damaged. The bolt struck a chimney which it split in two, ran down it into the sitting room, in which there were five ladies, and then passed out of an open window. Miss Sadie Hawkins, of Montgomery, was sitting by the window and the lightning tore away part of her chair. Strange to say Miss Hawkins was not seriously hurt, and, though badly shocked, ran out of the room with the other ladies, who were unhurt.

Charles Heil, of near Montgomery, had a cow struck and killed.

The barn of Mrs. Saddlier, in Walden, was struck and burned in the evening. Nineteen sheep perished in the fire.

A tree standing near the Walden Knife Works was struck in the afternoon and several employes of the works received severe shocks, and the fine alarm box was burned out.

## HYMENEAL.

**Smith—Lee.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lee, of Westtown, on Wednesday evening, when their only daughter, Ida K., was united in marriage with J. Edward Smith, of Middletown.

The bridal party was led by little Inez Cocks, acting as ring bearer. She was followed by the ushers, Messrs. Will Lain, of Westtown, and C. Herford Clark, of Middletown. Next came the maid of honor, Miss Clara Wood, of Goshen, with the best man, Mr. Abner Hurtin, of Middletown, and following them the bride and groom.

The bride was attired in cream white silk, trimmed with lace and pearl ornaments. She carried a bouquet of white sweet peas.

To the strains of the wedding march from Wagner's "Lohengrin," played by Miss Frankie Graff, of New York, the bridal party took their places under a bower of laurel and evergreen and bride and groom were quickly made one by the Rev. Newton Shipman, of Montrose, Pa., a relative of the bride.

After the ceremony a bountiful supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left later in the evening to take the train for New York. After a short trip they will take up their residence in Middletown on Prospect avenue.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts from her friends.

Among the guests were: Mr. Geo. Horton and wife, and Mrs. J. Eugene White and daughter, of Brooklyn; Mr. Edmund Cocks, Mrs. Alfred Graff and daughter, Miss Libbie Cox, Dr. Frank VanFleet and wife, Dr. James Wilson Cassell and wife, Mrs. Millicent Horton and Dr. James Horton, of New York; Mr. J. Floyd Hart, of Stamford, Conn.; the Misses Sarah and Mary Whitehead, of Morristown, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee, of Turners, N. Y., with their daughter.

At the wedding were represented four generations of the family: Mrs. Margaret Lee, Mrs. Alexander Lee, Mr. Charles Lee and Baby Mary Lee.

## PUBLIC VOICE.

**Sunday Services at Midway Park.**

EDITORS ARGUS:—In last evening's ARGUS, in an article headed "Suggestion to Religious Workers," you say "it never seems to have occurred to any of them (christian workers) that instead of condemning popular institutions, much more good could be accomplished by making use of them for carrying on religious work." On Sabbath evening, June 2nd, before a very large congregation, I preached on the subject: "Middletown and Midway," in the course of which I made the suggestion in regard to religious services at the Park and stated that I was willing to do anything in my power along that line provided the suggestion met the approval of the Traction Company. Last evening it was stated in the *Times* that all the amusement enterprises would probably run hereafter on the Sabbath. Of course if those in authority make such a terrible mistake as that and allow Sunday at the Park to be a Fourth of July, all thought of religious services must be abandoned. The shrieks of those riding on the roller coaster would not blend with the voice of praise to God.

FRANK ARTHUR HEATH.

**Talking Over Sunday at Midway Park.**

Messrs. Hinchliffe and Rockwell and the privilege holders of Midway Park held a protracted session on the steps of Southwell's arcade, at the Park, last evening. The matter of Sunday running was thoroughly discussed, but no definite conclusion was reached.

## A NEW PRESIDENT FOR S. AND W.

**A. L. Hopkins Succeeds Simon Borg—Changes in the Directory Probable.**

Simon Borg resigned, yesterday, as President of the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad, and the Board of Directors appointed A. L. Hopkins to succeed him. Mr. Borg continues as a director of the company. George W. Young, President of the United States Mortgage Company, was also elected a director. Both of these gentlemen fill vacancies that have existed in the Board for some little time.

It is understood that further changes in the Board are in contemplation. Several of those already made are supposed to have something to do with the finances of the company.

The reports that the Susquehanna would soon fall into the possession of the Delaware and Hudson or the Lackawanna were denied by officials of the latter companies.

Mr. Hopkins, who was chosen to succeed President Borg, is at present receiver of the Chicago and Northern Pacific Railroad. He was formerly connected with the Wabash and Missouri Pacific railroads.

## A CIRCUS TEAM RUNS AWAY.

**The Driver Squeezed—Whiffletrees Broken and a Fence Torn Down.**

This morning when the circus wagons were on their way to the Pleasure Grounds, one of the high wagons struck a limb of a tree on Acadamy avenue near Everett street, which brought the wagon to a stand still. The horses were frightened and made a sudden leap forward breaking the whiffletrees and freeing themselves from the wagon, they ran into R. H. Dolsons driveway, across his garden and plunged into the fence and were breaking down a section, but were soon caught.

The driver was pinioned between the limb of the tree and the wagon seat and badly squeezed but was not seriously hurt.

**Preparing to Entertain Members of Phoenix Engine Co.**

*From the Newburgh Register.*

At a special meeting held last evening, at the house of Highland Engine Co., No. 3, committees were appointed to arrange for the visit of Phoenix Engine Co., of Middletown, on June 22. It was decided to give the visiting delegation a chowder at the engine house and afterwards take them to Wood's hotel, West Newburgh, where they are to be guests over Sunday.

**He Took It Literally.**

*From the Kingston Leader.*

A married man from Hurley was heard to remark to a gentleman friend while passing Fair street, where he saw the sign, "Woman's Exchange," that he wished that he had his wife along as he would like to exchange her for something.

**Safe and Reliable.**

Mrs. S. J. Ednie, of 673 McDonough street, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes as follows: "My little ones are delighted with Hood's Paper Dolls, which are sent for one trade-mark from Hood's Pills and ten cents in stamps. I have been using Hood's Pills for some time, and recommend them as a safe and reliable medicine."

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.


**ONE CENT A WORD**

*for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.*

WANT to find a home for little girl 11 years old. 59d3t Address "A," ARGUS office.

FIREWORKS, wholesale and retail; hammocks and oil stoves cheap. 59d2t DAYTON & SON.

SPECIAL Meeting of Eagle Hose Co. at 7:30, to night 1t C. L. ELWOOD, President.

B. ROBSHAW, the James street shoe maker, has leased the shop in the rear of the Commercial Hotel, fronting Canal street. Call and see him. 1t

GOOD Farm Hand wanted—Middle-aged man preferred, strictly temperate and industrious; no others need apply. 57dtf Call at this office.

FOR SALE A good young farm horse, seven years old weight 1200 pounds; suitable for farm or heavy teaming. 56d6t F. A. MEYER, Denton, N. Y.

GIRL Wanted for general housework, small family. 54dtf Apply at 49 East avenue.

UPPER Floor to let, at 19 Franklin street. 54dtf Apply on premises.

CHARLES Z. TAYLOR, Contractor and Builder, No. 1 Railroad avenue. Jobbing at short notice.

BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at McINTYRE'S, No. 32 North street

FOR RENT—House of eight rooms, No. 10 Cortland street. 49dtf Enquire on Premises.

BOARDER Wanted, gentleman preferred or lodger. Apply at this office. 37dtf

WANTED—A situation by strictly temperate and reliable man. Money could be loaned to employer if wanted. Address box 37, Middletown, N. Y. dtf

WANTED—$1,100 on bond and mortgage, city property worth $2,000, 5½ per cent. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, 16 East Main street.

W. CLIFFORD ROGERS, interior decorating, House, sign and ornamental painting and paper hanging. Shop, corner Main and Henry streets. 21dSep4

THE Homestead Building and Loan Association is prepared to loan money at any time on favorable terms. Apply to any of the officers 8dtf H. J. LEONARD, Secretary.

CRAIG'S Shoe repairing is ahead of anything in Middletown for durability, style and cheapness, NO. 22 WEST MAIN STREET.

PROPOSALS for putting in shower bath and bath tubs, at the Middletown State Homeopathic Hospital, are invited. Bids received till June 15th, at noon. Specifications may be seen at Hospital. 53dtoJu15

My wife has been troubled for years with dry crusts and scales on her head and eyebrows. After seeming to lie dormant for years in her system, it broke out again in all its fury. Her hair came out in big patches, her eyebrows all fell off, and she presented a pitiable condition. We tried almost everything, but she continued to get worse. Then we tried one of our best physicians, but all to no purpose. Finally she believed that the CUTICURA REMEDIES would cure her. After using nine boxes of CUTICURA, about a dozen cakes of CUTICURA SOAP, and four bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, she was entirely cured. Her hair came on again, and to-day she has as fine a head of black curly hair and as smooth skin as any lady in Allentown. (See portrait.) Her eyebrows are heavier than they ever were, her scalp is free from dandruff, and her health is excellent.

FREEMAN STOEKER,
225 Court Street, Allentown, Pa.

The cures daily made by CUTICURA REMEDIES astonish physicians, druggists, and those who have lost faith and hope. No statement is made regarding them not justified by the strongest evidence. They are the most speedy, economical, and infallible skin cures, blood purifiers, and humor remedies of modern times.

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JEROME FOLLETTE, late of Bradbury Piano Factory, practical piano tuner, repairer and polisher. Address 57 West Main street, Middletown, N. Y. 98d6mOct

FOR rent or sale—The Casino Cafe is offered for sale on easy terms, or it will be rented to the proper party. Properly conducted there is no better hotel stand in this city. 41dtf

J. W. WORCESTER, M. D., Late of New York city. Fine Dentistry in all its branches. Expert in the use of gas and extraction. 11d&wly ap19 37 NORTH ST., Middletown, N. Y

CAR Load of Horses just arrived at the farm of Isaac Bullock, at Eastontown, N. Y., in town of Greenville. Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere. Easy terms 88d&w3mJun23 WILLIAM HOSKING.

FOR Sale cheap—Second hand tenting, in lots to suit. Makes excellent horse or wagon covers 31d vswJul3 Apply 9 Hanford St.

THE HOMESTEAD BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

A new series will begin June 11th. This will be a good opportunity for anyone wishing to join. The Homestead is a local institution, with local officers, and its money is all invested in home property. It will compare favorably with any other similar association, especially for those who wish to borrow and secure a home. Information cheerfully given by any of the officers. H. J. LEONARD, Secretary. dtf

**MILK WANTED.**

**A Few Good Dairies**

**Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Co.** 44dst

GERMAN and FRENCH

After proved methods to perfect conversation within four months. 75c per lesson. Violin lessons $1. Great success and best references in town. REV. DR. H. KAFZ, German pastor, 17 Franklin street. d42.1mo

**HELP WANTED.**

WANTED—Reliable, energetic man to take charge of a branch house controlling wholesale and retail trade for NARCOTI-CURE. Splendid opening. Worth $2,000 a year to right person. Only those with $300 cash and good references need apply for interview. THE NARCOTI CHEMICAL CO., 59d1t Springfield, Mass.

A MAN or Lady to Manage Distributing Samples, Soaps, specialties, books; do corresponding. Send Sylvan Co., 737 Woodward, Detroit, Mich., 10c. for set of samples, receive offer to you. 54dJly10

WANTED—An energetic and reliable man to sell our goods on commission in Middletown and vicinity. A small bond required. A first class opening for the right party. Address for particulars, NATIONAL TEA CO., 113 Court street, Binghamton, N. Y. 53dtf

$75 A WEEK paid to ladies and gents to sell the Rapid Dish Washer. Washes and dries them in two minutes without wetting the hands. No experience necessary; sells at sight; permanent position. Address W. P. HARRISON & CO., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio. 3

A MAN in every section to sell staple goods to dealers; experience unnecessary; best side line; $75 a month. Salary and expenses or large commission made. For sealed particulars send stamp. CLIPTON SOAP AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Cincinnati, O. dWedSatTyNov14

WANTED—Men who will work for $75 a month or large commission, selling goods by sample to dealers. Experience unnecessary. Write us, we will explain. For sealed particulars send stamp HOUSEHOLD SPECIALTY CO. (75), Cincinnati, O. SatAu25


## Open Competitive Examination for the Position of Chief Examiner to the Civil Service Commission of the State of New York.

It having been determined to fill the office of Chief Examiner of the Civil Service Commission of the State of New York by open competitive examination, notice is hereby given that on or about the 1st of September next, such an examination will be held at the rooms of the commission, in the Capitol at Albany.

Applicants for this position should apply to the Secretary of the commission at Albany for blank applications, in which full directions will be given, as to the character and scope of the examination, and other particulars.

By order of the commission.
CLARENCE B. ANGLE, Secretary.
Albany, N. Y., June 11th, 1895. d15,22


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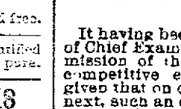
NEW  DEA.

Millinery, Jackets and Capes for ladies misses and children. We will clear, regardless of cost, rather than carry them over. Here we will quote a few of our low prices—Shirt Waists, in all colors, made with yoke and big sleeves, only 29c; Ribbed Vests (good ones) from 5c. up Good Trimmed Sailors from 35c up; Excellent Laundered Waists from 49c up; Wrappers, made well with ruffles over shoulder and Watteau back, only 69c., well worth 98c; Figured Silk Waists $1.98 and up.

We have everything you can think of for ladies, misses and children. What you don't see ask for. In Ladies' Duck Suits we can show you a great variety in colors and white. Prices way below zero,

M. KATZINGER, COR. NORTH AND W. MAIN STS.

**SPECIAL ONE WEEK SALE**
IN
**Art Squares and Mattings.**

One week only, June 17th to 22d inclusive. During this sale you will have an opportunity to inspect our Carpet Stock and note the bargains in that department. Ask to be shown through the trunk department

**Matthews & Co, Carpet Bag Factory**

**Tuthill's Guaranteed Tooth Brushes,**

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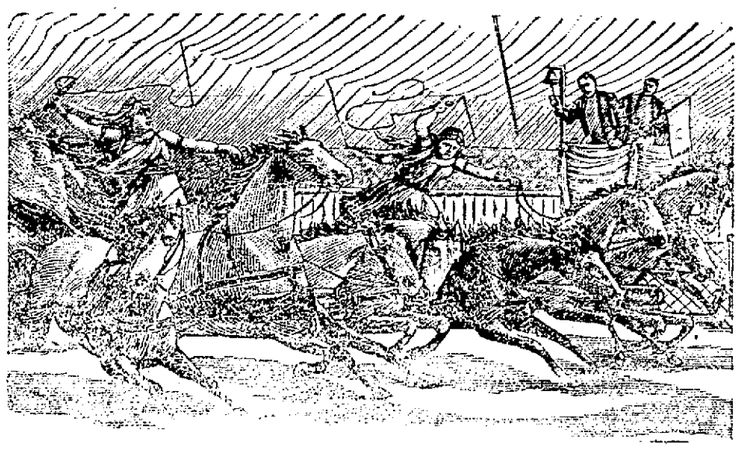

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